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RUSSIAN OFFICERS ARE WITHHOLDING DETAILS OF VICTORY CLAIMED

And Which All Other Dispatches From Petrograd Say the Muscovites Have Won Over German Forces That Penetrated Poland—General Staff Simply Reports That Battle Continues to be Advantageous.

GERMANS CLAIM THEY HAVE INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES ON THE RUSSIAN FORCES

Except for Artillery Fighting Battle in West Remains Virtually at a Standstill, Although in Isolated Attacks Both Sides Claim Progress — Indian Force Reported in Touch With Turks Ten Miles East of Suez.

London, Nov. 28.—The Russian general staff still is withholding details of the victory which all other dispatches from Petrograd say the Russians have won over German forces that penetrated Poland. Tonight's official report simply says the battle continues to develop to the advantage of the Russians and that the Germans are trying to extricate themselves from an unfavorable position. The Germans, on the other hand, claim they have inflicted heavy loss on the Russians between Lodz and Lowicz.

Military authorities in Petrograd, assuming that the unofficial reports of a victory are true, express astonishment that the Germans should have attacked Lodz, for they say defeat there was inevitable. The Germans, who advanced from the north and south, these military observers add, doubtless intended to seize the railway and interrupt communication between the Northern and Southern Russian armies, but that Grand Duke Nicholas had an enormous number of men at his command, sandwiched them and directed his attacks from all points except due west. The reported failure of the German crown prince's army to advance on the Cracow-Czenstochowa front is considered by these military critics as corroborating the checking of the Germans.

It is said in Petrograd that one if not two German corps are almost enveloped and that they are making a desperate effort to fight their way out to the north. Already a large number of prisoners are reported to have passed through Warsaw.

This is considered in London to confirm unofficial reports and the statement of Lord Kitchener in the House of Lords today that the "reinforced Russian troops in this neighborhood have been able to check and defeat the Germans with, I believe, heavier losses than they have ever sustained before."

The Russians are said to be continuing their advance through the Carpathians in Western Galicia and against Cracow and Prof. Bernard Pares, the British government's representative with the Russian headquarters staff, said:

"The Muscovite forces are forging a half circle around East Prussia to avoid the well-fortified and difficult Masurian Lake region. They also are declared to be operating with success against the Turks in the Caucasus."

Except for artillery fighting the battle in the West remains virtually at a standstill, although in isolated attacks both sides claim progress. There is no indication where the next German blow is to be struck in the attempt to reach the French coast.

Lord Kitchener in the House of Lords today declared all the gaps in the British army now had been filled and that both British and French reinforcements had reached the front. While Lord Kitchener expressed confidence in the result of the war and asserted that 30,000 recruits were joining the British army each week, he warned the public that still more men would be required.

The Secretary of War added that an Indian force was in touch with the Turks ten miles east of the Suez Canal, while Indian and British troops were busy on the shores of the Persian Gulf and throughout Africa. He said that the Indian government had announced its intention to continue to support the Indian contingents fighting in France and elsewhere.

OFFICIAL FRENCH STATEMENT.

Says No Important Developments Have Marked Day of November 25th.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The official French announcement given out in Paris this afternoon reads as follows:

"No important development marked the day of November 25th. In the north the cannonading diminished in intensity and no infantry attack was directed against our lines which made slight advances at certain points.

"In the region of Arras there was a continuation of the bombardment on the town and its environs.

"On the Aisne the enemy endeavored to deliver an attack on the village of Missin. This movement resulted in complete failure with considerable losses to the Germans.

"We have made some progress in the region to the west of Souain.

"In the Argonne, in the Woevre district, in Lorraine and in the Vosges there is almost complete calm along the entire front.

"There has been a heavy fall of snow, particularly in the higher portions of the Vosges mountains."

GERMAN OFFICIAL SUMMARY.

Statement Given to the Press by Bureau at Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 26, (via Wireless)—Information given to the press today by the official press bureau includes the following:

"The Persian legation at Constantinople says Khurdish troops have surprised a Russian garrison and killed 2,000 of them.

"A great mass meeting was held in Sofia to demand immediate occupation of Macedonia by the Bulgarian army. The interests of Bulgaria cause here to maintan a friendly attitude toward Rumania and Turkey, but make the distinction of Servia and Greece imperative necessity.

"Molkow, president of the committee for the improvement of economic conditions in Russia says bankruptcy is epidemic in that country. The Golos Mosky of Moscow, says insolvencies are creating a panic.

"Reports of a Pan-Islamic anti-British movement are confirmed by the Russkoye Slovo of Petrograd, which says the movement had its beginning in Afghanistan. The Porte says all

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War News at a Glance

Russian Poland still holds the center of the war stage in public interest, but it is impossible to say definitely what is transpiring there or what the past few days developments have been. Unofficial reports still maintain that the Germans have suffered a great defeat in the territory lying between the Vistula and Warta rivers, and Lord Kitchener, the British Secretary for War, made the announcement in the House of Lords that the Russians had "been able to check and to defeat the Germans with, I believe, heavier losses than they ever sustained before."

Official Petrograd, however, has made no claim to a decisive victory.

"In the battle of Lodz, which continues to develop, the advantage remains secured to our troops," says the latest Russian statement. This communication adds that the Germans are "making strenuous efforts to facilitate the retreat of their corps," from the vicinity of Brzesiny northward to the region of Strykow, "under conditions very unfavorable for them." How many corps are in retreat there is not stated by Petrograd.

Berlin does not acknowledge a defeat in Poland. On the contrary, the German war office says Emperor William's forces at Lodz and at Lowicz have inflicted heavy casualties on the Russians, and in addition have captured 40,000 prisoners, 70 cannon, 160 ammunition wagons and 156 machine guns and destroyed 30 cannon. It is added that the Germans have not been able to "bring this fighting to a close," owing to the fact that the Russians were bringing up strong reinforcements.

As to fighting further south, the Russians say that on the front they have captured two regiments aggregating 8,000 men, together with their commanders and other officers. The official Austrian declaration is that 29,000 prisoners, 49 machine guns and a quantity of war material have been taken by the Austrians in Russian-Poland.

In Belgium and in France, except for artillery duels here and there, no engagements are taking place.

ZAPATA'S FORCES PRESERVING ORDER

Villa Agents Are Co-operating in Mexico City.

U. S. TROOPS BACK HOME

Villa, Entering Mexican Capital Any Time, Follows Assurances That Will be No Looting Disorder Allowed.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Zapata forces are preserving order in Mexico City and Villa agents are co-operating, according to State Department advices. It was not known tonight whether Villa's troops had entered the city. An official report from American Consul Carrothers, accompanying Villa, received tonight, said Villa had renewed his promises that there would be no looting or disorder and that the rights of residents, native or foreign, would be respected.

The message was sent from the vicinity of Mexico City. Secretary Bryan said, and while it did not say when the Northern chieftain expected to enter, it was taken to indicate that he was fully advised as to conditions there and was acting in harmony with General Zapata. Officials believed the entrance of the Northern army into Mexico City was to be expected at any time and that Eulalio Gutierrez, president ad interim, immediately would proceed to the capital and be formally installed in office there with the reassembling of the Aguas Calientes convention.

United States officials still were in doubt tonight as to the whereabouts of General Zapata himself. No mention of his presence in the city has been made.

VERA CRUZ TO GALVESTON.

Americans from Mexican Port Back on United States Soil.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 26.—Five army transports today brought Major General Funston and more than 4,000 soldiers of the United States expeditionary force from Vera Cruz to Galveston. The chartered steamer Antilla brought 330 Americans and Mexican refugees.

Through the mists of a rainy Thanksgivnig the little fleet nosed into port during the afternoon, greeted by saluting guns and cheering crowds. With the flagship Cristobal, flying the two-starred pennant of the Major General, were the transports Kilpatrick, McClellan, Kansan and Sumner. The Sumner was the last to arrive.

Among the refugees were many customs employes from Vera Cruz. A clerical party, headed by Bishop Vincent Castellanes of the Roman Catholic diocese of Campeche, included 18 priests and 21 nuns.

CARRANZA AT VERA CRUZ.

From There Will Direct His Campaign Against Villa-Zapata Forces.

Vera Cruz, Nov. 26.—Gen. Venustiano Carranza reached here late today from Cordoba. His arrival brought thousands of enthusiastic citizens into the streets and when he spoke from the balcony of the municipal palace he was greeted with loud cheering.

Tomorrow the general will take up his official duties from this city as his temporary capital and will direct the campaign against Generals Villa and Zapata.

PRESIDENT QUALIFIED AS MOUNTAIN CLIMBER

Goes to the Summit of Petersburg Mountain

From There He Looks Over Into New York and Vermont—Attends Thanksgiving Service—Hears Proclamation Read.

Williamston, Mass., Nov. 26.—President Wilson qualified as a mountain climber this afternoon. With Francis Sayre, his son-in-law, and Prof. Stockton Axson, his brother-in-law, he went up Petersburg mountain from whose summit he could look into New York and Vermont.

The first part of the trip was by carriage and the remainder on foot. High up on the journey the President passed John Donoghue, a mountain farmer, who gazed at him curiously and remarked, "You certainly do look like the President."

Mr. Wilson was much refreshed by his climb. Afterward he sat in front of an open fire and read poetry to his relatives until the family dined.

At St. John's Episcopal church this morning, Mr. Wilson listened to prayers for peace in Europe and continued prosperity in the United States. In his sermon the rector, the Rev. J. F. Carter, referred to Mrs. Wilson's death. The President's Thanksgiving proclamation was read by President Harry Garfield, of Williams College.

Mr. Wilson walke dto church accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sayre and Dr. Grayson. Afterward the congregation stood respectfully while the party walked out.

An automobile trip is planned for tomorrow morning. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the President will leave for Washington.

FRANK TO APPEAL TO ENTIRE COURT

For Writ of Error and Review of His Case.

REFUSED BY HOLMES

Application Will be Made Monday to Whole Supreme Court—Justice Holmes Has Serious Doubt of Fair Trial in Georgia.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Announcement was made by counsel for Leo M. Frank, the Atlanta, Ga., factory superintendent, convicted of the murder of Mary Phagan, that Justice Holmes had refused to issue a writ of error for the Supreme Court to review the case. At the same time Justice Holmes rendered an informal opinion, according to one of Frank's attorneys, in which he stated he had very serious doubts if Frank had had a fair trial, because of the trial taking place in the presence of a hostile and seemingly dangerous crowd. Application will be made to the entire court on Monday for the writ.

Attorney Henry Alexander, representing Frank, today made public the opinion announced by Justice Lamar in denying the writ last Monday. In this opinion Justice Lamar referred to the decision of the Georgia Supreme Court to the effect that a defendant, having elected to make a motion for a new trial, and judgment denying the same having been affirmed by the Supreme Court, could not thereafter make a motion to set aside the verdict on the ground that he had been absent from the court room when the verdict was rendered.

In the motion to set aside, it was stated that several times during the trial the crowd, both inside and outside the court room, applauded when the state scored a point, those on the outside shouting and hurrahing; also that on the last day of the trial a large and boisterous crowd of several hundred persons gathered around the court house and carried the solicitor general on their shoulders across the street.

It was stated that this crowd did not disperse while the jury deliberated, but continued its demonstrations, all having an effect on the minds of the jury. It was set forth that the jury was intimidated by the trial judge conferring with the chief of police of Atlanta and the colonel of the Fifth regiment in Atlanta, in open ocurt, in the presence of the jury, and that the demonstrations actuated the court to request the defendant and his counsel to absent themselves from the court room when the verdict was received in open court.

BIG FIRE AT SOUTHPORT.

Blaze Late Last Night—Store and Pilots' Office Destroyed.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Southport, N. C., Nov. 26.—Late tonight fire of an unknown origin destroyed the general store of Richard Dosher, the pilots' headquarters and look-out tower, while other property was for a time endangered. It is stated that the loss may be as much as $10,000, and that only partial insurance was carried. Particuniars were not learned here tonight of the losses, insurance, etc.

GAVE LAUNCH SIGNAL BEFORE SHOTS FIRED

To Warn Her That She Was Approaching Mine Field.

Explanation of Turkish Officers Satisfactory to American Government and Smyrna Incident is Considered Closed.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The American cruiser Tennessee's launch, which attempted to enter the closed harbor of Smyrna, was signalled that she was approaching a mine field before shots were fired to warn here, according to an explanation by the Turkish war minister to American Ambassador Morgenthau. This was announced by Secretary Bryan tonight.

Mr. Bryan said Mr. Morgenthau had cabled a note from the Turkish minister of war recording a previous conversation with reference to the Tennessee incident.

"The note," said Mr. Bryan, "contains the statement from government officials that the shots were fired after a signal had been given to prevent the launch from approaching mines and that they were not fired in the direction of the launch."

Washington officials are awaiting further information before replying, though it is understood the explanation is regarded as satisfactory and the incident looked upon as virtually closed.

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Freddie Welch, lightweight champion, outpointed Young Brown of New York, in a ten-round bout here tonight.

LOSSES OF THE ALLIES SLIGHT COMPARED WITH THOSE OF THE GERMANS

Declaration of Earl Kitchener, Who Says the Russians Have Defeated the Enemy "With the Heaviest Loss as Yet Suffered"—Declares Germans Have Made No Advance Since He Last Addressed Lords.

London, Nov. 26.—"The Russians have defeated the Germans with the heaviest loss as yet suffered."

"The Germans have made no advance since I last addressed this House," and the "British are in touch with Turkish forces 30 miles east of the Suez canal," were the salients of a speech made by Field Marshal Earl Kitchener in the House of Lords this afternoon.

Lord Kitchener paid tribute to the gallantry of the Belgian army and to King Albert. He said the Allies' losses, though great, were slight compared with those of the enemy.

The Russians, he announced, have defeated the Germans, inflicting heavier losses than the latter ever suffered before.

Regarding recruiting he said he still had room for men, and he was confident the men would answer. About 30,000 recruits are enlisting weekly, he reported.

"The time will come when we shall require many more and I will then make it thoroughly well known," the field marshal said, and added that in the meantime all the gaps in the British force on the continent had been filled.

Referring to the German advance on Dunkirk and Calais after the capture of Antwerp, Lord Kitchener mentioned that a British cavalry division extending over seven miles of trenches threw back the fierce attacks of a whole German army corps for more than two days. The arrival of the Indians on the scene, he said, proved a great advantage and when the fresh reinforcements pushed forward the German march on Calais stopped.

Tribute to French Troops.

Lord Kitchener spoke also of the splendid fighting qualities of the French troops.

"In the early days of November," he said, "no less than eleven army corps were attacking the British position. At this critical period the eighth division was dispatched from England to join the forces in the field and the valuable co-operation of our allies of our left materially strengthened the British position.

"On November 11th a supreme effort was made by the Germans. The Prussian Guard was ordered to force its way through our lines at all costs, and to carry them by sheer weight of numbers. But this desperate attempt failed like its predecessors.

"Strong French reinforcements occupied a considerable portion of the British trenches in front of Ypres, and with their front thus appreciably shortened the British who, for over 14 days and nights, never had left the trenches, were enabled to enjoy a partial rest."

Territorials Materially Aiding.

Several battalions of territorials, Lord Kitchener announced, had joined the British forces and had made themselves felt.

Lord Kitchener briefly touched on the Turkish intervention and said the Russians were successfully advancing in the Caucasus while an Indian expeditionary force had twice defeated the Turks at the head of the Persian Gulf and were also in touch with a Turkish force 30 miles to the east of the Suez Canal.

GENERAL RUSSIAN ADVANCE

Described by British Government Correspondent at Headquarters.

London, Nov. 26.—Prof. Bernard Pares, the British government's correspondent at Russian army headquarters, in a dispatch dated November 15 dealing with the general Russian advance, says that after the Russians had held the river San for nearly a month against the Austrians word came to go forward. The river was crossed and the enemy forced back.

"The advance was triumphant at all points," says Prof. Pares. "Some of the Austrians were pressed against the Carpathians at a point where there are only two passes. These are different and will hardly admit passage of artillery and field trains. Others were pressed back on Cracow where the line of Russian advance is now complete. The Russian impact on Cracow promises the first settlement of the destiny of Western Galacia, where the population is Polish and ready to respond to the appeal of Grand Duke Nicholas.

"The next gap is made between the Austrians and Germans, who already are retiring in mutual dissatisfaction in different directions and whose political interests must more and more differentiate.

"A further advance through this gap will be on Slavonic territory in European Selicia up to the river Niesse, where the population is mainly Polish or Bohemian. The Czechs in general are largely friendly to Russia and hostile to Germany.

"The Germans are doing all possible to make diversions on other sides. "Stopped and driven back near Miawa they have made a serious effort on both sides of the Vistula near Plock but have been decisively repulsed, the inhabitants giving effective aid in bringing the river. They are now attempting to force a strong wedge in the Russian front between the Vistula and the Warta rivers but so far the Russian line, which is everywhere continuous and is reinforced wherever necessary with strong reserves, has outflanked every local German advance.

"Meanwhile a double Russian advance on East Prussia from the East and South is overcoming numerous obstacles and making rapid progress, avoiding and enveloping the thickest fortified line of the Mazurian lakes. Here, too, the population is chiefly Polish."

BRITISH WARSHIP BLOWN UP BY ACCIDENTAL EXPLOSION

Only 14 Men Out of the 700 or 800 on Board the Battleship Bulwark Saved, When She Went Down Off Sheerness.

Destruction Seems to Have Been Caused by Explosion in Her Own Magazine.

Sheerness, England, (via London), Nov. 26.—The British battleship Bulwark was destroyed by an explosion as she lay off here early today. There are only 14 survivors from the crew of 700 or 800 men who were aboard.

The explosion is believed to have occurred in her forward magazine. Whether it was caused by accident or design is a question to be determined by a commission appointed to investigate.

In the opinion of naval men, it was an internal explosion that put an end to the battleship, which for 12 years has done service at home and abroad and lately had been guarding England's shores.

There was no great upheaval of water such as would have occurred if she had been torpedoed or struck by a mine. Instead the ship was enveloped in smoke and flame and when this had cleared nothing could be seen but wreckage floating on the water. Houses in towns seven and eight miles away were shaken by the explosion and even before men on ships anchored nearby could reach their own decks, the Bulwark had disappeared. The sea was strewn with wreckage, while pieces of ship were thrown six or seven miles on to the Essex shore.

Considering the size of her navy, Great Britain has been singularly free from disasters of this character. Nevertheless when the French warship Jena was destroyed by an internal explosion in 1907, all cordite ammunition was taken from all the British ships and carefully examined. Refrigerators were installed in the ships to keep the powder cool.

The Bulwark, which was one of the older battleships, cost 1,000,000 pounds sterling ($5,000,000).

London, Nov. 26.—It was officially announced here that the British battleship Bulwark had been blown up off Sheerness. Only 12 men out of the 700 or 800 on board the Bulwark were saved.

According to the admiralty, the explosion, which resulted in the destruction of the Bulwark, is believed to have originated in her own magazine.

The announcement of the disaster to the Bulwark was made by Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The loss of the Bulwark, according to a Central News dispatch received this evening from Chatham, was due to an accidental explosion while ammunition was being loaded on the warship.

An eye witness who was on a ship a short distance from the British battleship when she was blown up off Sheerness, gives this account:

Account by Eye-Witness.

"I was at breakfast at about ten minutes to 8 o'clock this morning when I heard an explosion and went on deck. My first impression was that the report was produced by the firing of a salute by one of the ships, but when I got on deck I soon saw something awful had happened. The water and the sky were obscured by dense volumes of smoke. We were ordered at once to the scene of the disaster to render what assistance we could. At first we could see nothing, but when the smoke cleared we were horrified to find that the battleship Bulwark had gone. She seemed to have entirely vanished, but a little later we detected a portion of the huge battleship showing about four feet above the water.

"We kept a vigil for the unfortunate crew, but saw only two men. I don't know whether the other boats rescued any one or not. One man we saw was dead."

Another eye-witness said that when the explosion occurred a great volume of flame and smoke shot into the air. The ship seemed to split in two and then heeled over and disappeared in less than five minutes.

SOUTH AMERICAN NATIONS APPEAL TO UNITED STATES

For Co-operation in Restoration of Trade Paralyzed by War.

IN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE WARRING NATIONS

To Bring About Exclusion of Their Warships.

From the Waters of the Two Americas and Safeguard Trade of the Pan-American Countries With Each Other.

Washington, Nov. 26. — The United States government has been requested by the principal South American nations to co-operate with them in negotiations with European belligerents to bring about the exclusion of all belligerent warships from the waters of the two Americas and safeguard the trade of Pan-American countries with each other.

Argentine, Chile, Peru and Uruguay have laid their suggestions before the Washington government, while the Brazilian government is considering the taking of a similar step. Virtually all the Central and South American countries have been circularized by some of the principal nations, resulting in a series of diplomatic conferences in Washington and the capitals of South America, which are now in progress. While the proposals are different in character and scope, they all seek the same end—the restoration of the trade between North and South America, paralyzed by the European war. The movement has also for its object the removal of possible cases of serious friction between the countries of this hemisphere and the European belligerents on questions of neutrality.

Already Chile, Ecuador and Colombia have had serious difficulties with the belligerents over the use of wireless and the coaling of foreign warships, whose presence in the Atlantic and Pacific is growing obnoxious to South American countries.

No Particular Plan Suggested.

None of the nations which have made suggestions is committed to any particular plan, but all seek co-operation by the United States. The impetus that will make any plans effective, it is recognized, rests with President Wilson.

The various plans thus far formally communicated to the United States are as follows:

1. The establishment of neutral zones on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of North and South America, within which the belligerents shall be asked to agree not to engage in hostilities.

2. The convocation of a general conference of diplomatic representatives and commercial delegates of all American countries with powers to vote on steps which can be taken to protect and restore Pan-American trade.

3. The appointment by the Pan-American Union of a commission to recommend steps that would remove dangers to Pan-American trade.

4. Prohibition by all nations of the two Americas of the privilege hitherto exercised by the belligerents of coaling in neutral ports, or the issuance of only a sufficient quantity of coal to enable a belligerent vessel to reach the nearest port of another country.

Already some of the powers of Europe have been sounded on the provisions and it is understood Great Britain is ready to deny her warships entry into Central and South American ports to coal, if the United States approves the proposal and other belligerents agree.

While many diplomats believe restriction of coaling privileges alone would not be effective in keeping belligerent warships from American waters, the fact that England looked with favor on measures that would assist the South American countries in preserving their neutrality and restoring their trade has been a source of much encouragement to diplomats here.

As Yet in Formative State.

The entire movement is as yet in a formative state, and depends largely for its progress on the attitude of the United States toward it. Those in a position to know the preliminary opinions expressed by high officials of the American government in early stages of the negotiations learned that the United States was particularly anxious to take no step which might impair its influence with any of the belligerents in the eventual settlement of the European war. South American diplomats realizing this, have sought to find some commou ground on which to act, so that tangible and practical results will be obtained without embarrassing the neutrals in their relations with the belligerents.

The position of the South American countries, as voiced by representatives here, is one of earnest and serious effort to assert their rights as neutrals. Their trade has suffered and they feel they are the innocent victims of a conflict which they could not have prevented. With the very economic life of the South American nations threatened by the rupture of trade conditions with Europe, the Latin countries are looking to the United States for capital to promote domestic enterprises, and they believe the development of their industries by foreign interests will not

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HAS MAINTAINED THE STRICTEST NEUTRALITY

Claim of Colombian Minister to the United States

Says If England or France Can Prove That Corporations or Persons Have Violated Neutrality Will be Punished.

New York, Nov. 26.—Colombia has maintained the strictest neutrality since the outbreak of the European war and has made every effort to compel neutrality on the part of all foreigners in that country, Julio Betancourt, Colombian minister to the United States, declared today. He made this declaration in an official statement.

Mr. Betancourt said that if either England or France could prove violations of Colombia's neutrality by any persons or corporatins in Colombia and would present them at Bogota, he would guarantee that punishment would be meted out to the offenders.

The minister said that one wireless station complained of now was under government censorship, but that despite the government's efforts to maintain its neutrality, one of the belligerents may have succeeded in erecting a temporary wireless station somewhere along Colombia's long coast line on the Atlantic or Pacific.

SAMPSON COUNTY'S FIRST YEAR OF HEALTH WORK.

Typhoid Rate Reduced to Minimum in County Seat.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 26.—"The town of Clinton has not had a case of typhoid since the clean-up which took place more than a year ago," writes Dr. G. M. Cooper, whole-time health officer for Sampson county. In making his first annual report for the year ending September 30th, he says: "I find that much more has been done in actual health work than I thought could be done in one year."

Dr. Cooper's figures speak for themselves. In a detailed account given of his work, the following are sifinificant figures:

Number of school children examined, 2,192; number of defects found in children, 1,065; number of children treated for defects, 450; number of schools visited for medical inspection, 49; number of persons vaccinated against smallpox, 1,963; number of persons inoculated against typhoid, 616; number of persons treated for hookworm, 353; number of newspaper articles furnished local papers, 37; number of health talks made, 68; number of letters concerning health work written, 178; number of miles traveled, 5,282.

Dr. Cooper attributes the success of Sampson county's first year's health work to the co-operation of its citizens. The board of education, the board of county commissioners, the teachers of the county, the editors and the physicians, "to a man". He pays high compliment to the public health work that is being done in the Salemburg community by the Rockefeller Sanitary Commission under the auspices of the State Board of Health.

FORTY YEARS TO BECOME LIEUTENANT COMMANDER

Admiral Blue Urges Change in Present Grading System in Navy.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Junior lieutenants of the class of 1915 can not hope to reach the grade of lieutenant commander in less than 40 years under present navy regulations, in the opinion of Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the Bureau of Navigation. Only legislation providing redistribution of grades, Admiral Blue declares in his annual report made public today, can permit any of the men of the 1915 class to become lieutenant commanders until they practically have reached the statutory retirement age of 62.

"In other words," Admiral Blue continues, "all the officers in the service fit for duty would be junior lieutenants and ensigns. It is needless to comment on such a situation. If the matter were not so serious it would be ludicrous.

"The bureau has no doubt Congress will remedy this condition.

"About 50 per cent. of the 351 lieutenants are now performing duties which normally should be performed by lieutenant commanders while about 10 per cent. are performing watch normal duty of the grade.

duty in the fleet which should be the

"The recent Mexican situation created an emergency that made great demands upon the commissioned personnel. It particularly illustrated the shortage of personnel compared with the number of ships we possess and would be compelled to commission in time of war."

CAREFUL ABOUT PASSPORTS

Many Applications of Naturalized Americans Being Refused.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Many applications by naturalized Americans for passports to visit their native lands are being refused by the State Department. Officials require it to be clearly shown that the purpose of the applicent is to make only a short business visit and that he has no intention to seek exemption from local obligations while abroad because of his American citizenship.

The issuance of passports to children born in this country of alien parents also is being closely supervised.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE WON FROM WAKE FOREST BAPTISTS

Wake Forest Protested Touchdown and Left Field.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 26.—Davidson won her annual Thanksgiving game from Wake Forest here this afternoon, 7 to 6, although the Baptists kept the ball in Presbyterian territory during the greater part of play. Wake Forest protested the touchdown made by Davidson as illegal and quit the field with three minutes to play.

TO PRESERVE NEUTRALITY.

Peruvian Government Has Cruiser Patrolling Her Coast.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 26.—The Peruvian cruiser Coronel Bolognesi has been assigned to patrol the coast of Peru in order that the neutrality of the country be preserved.

Another cruiser will sail tomorrow to do scout duty along the southern coast. Both cruisers are under orders to protect British steamers by force if necessary. As a result of this action steamships will renew their voyages immediately.

FIRST PHOTO OF GERMAN CROWN PRINCE ON RUSSIAN BATTLE LINE

This is the first photograph taken of Crown Prince Frederick William on the Prussian battle front. Just back of him is shown his favorite white horse, which he used when he led one German army in taking Longwy, in France.

The crown prince has been blamed by some Germans for the retreat of General von Hindenberg and the heavy losses of both Germans and Austrians in the fighting recently. In fact, the story was sent out that the Austrians had refused further to co-operate with the Germans because the crown prince, who was holding the center in the battle line of which the Austrians were the right wing, had retreated and left them at the mercy of the Russians.

BATTLESHIP MICHIGAN ASHORE OFF THE CAPES

Is Said to be Resting Easy and in no Danger

Grounded Early Yesterday Morning While Returning From Drilling Grounds to Hampton Roads. Waiting for High Tide.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The battleship Michigan, which grounded today off Cape Henry, is uninjured and in no danger and probably will be floated at high tide, according to a message to the Navy Department tonight from Captain Niblack, commanding.

The attempt to float her will be about 3 a. m. tomorrow.

Captain Niblack's message said the Michigan had come in about 3 o'clock this morning in a heavy fog and anchored in shoal water 30 feet deep. She grounded slightly astern. Tugs from the Norfolk navy yard were standing by to assist in getting the vessel off.

Captain Niblack said the Michigan was coming in slowly through the fog when the lead line showed the water to be shoaling rapidly. The vessel stopped and came to anchor in 30 feet of water. It was high tide at the time, but the tide already had set out, and before she could be withdrawn to deeper water the ship grounded aft, where her draft is greatest, though only a small portion of her length rested on the soft bottom.

Captain Niblack believed the battleship would float herself free at high water tomorrow morning, when there again will be 30 feet of water under her.

The Michigan's mean draft is 24 feet 5 inches.

Struck During Haze.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26.—The battleship Michigan, while en route to Hampton Roads from the Southern drill grounds before daybreak this morning, went ashore one mile south southwest of the Tail of the Horseshoe. She struck about 4 o'clock during a slight haze.

The vessel is said to be resting easy and in no danger. The weather is favorable and sea moderate. From Cape Henry the Michigan appears to be two miles from shore.

There is a dense haze and the lights on the stranded warship are barely visible from shore.

The naval tugs Patuxant, Patansco, Ontario and Uncas are standing by the Michigan. They made several unsuccessful attempts to float the ship today.

Still Aground Last Night.

Newport News, Va., Nov. 26.—The battleship Michigan, which went aground tonight according to reports reaching Old Point. The vessel was reported to be in no danger and at last reports was waiting for high tide to float her. The battleship New York, flagship of the fleet, is standing by to render any aid if necessary. The other ships of the fleet, the Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey, Arkansas, Vermont, New Hampshire, Delaware, North Dakota and Utah reached Hampton Roads shortly before 6 o'clock this evening. The ships were steaming in fleet formation, just as though, preparing to meet an enemy, when the Michigan got in too close to shore and struck bottom, it is said. Her position was said to be about 11 miles off the Capes.

MISSISSIPPI AGGIES DEFEATED ALABAMA

Alabama Was Outplayed Throughout, Score 9 to 0.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 26.—Mississippi A. & M. defeated Alabama in a rather loosely played contest here today, 9 to 0. Alabama was outplayed throughout and not during the entire contest was the goal line of the Mississippians seriously threatened.

A. & M.'s scores were made on a drop kick by Jones from the 25-yard line and a touchdown in the second quarter. Frequent fumbling marred the game.

DEATH OF MR. F. J. WALTON

Well Known Young Grocer Passes Away Here—Funeral in Onslow.

Mr. Furney J. Walton, a well known young grocer associated with Mr. J. F. Hudson, at Eighth and Dawson streets, died yesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at his home No. 607 South Fifth street, following a long illness with typhoid fever, from which he had apparently recovered when an attack of pneumonia developed, resulting in his death.

The news of his passing will be received with sorrow by a host of friends in Wilmington where he had resided the past three years, having come originally from Southwest, Onslow county, to which place the remains will be sent for burial this afternoon, with funeral services by the Rev. Mr. Jones, of the Primitive Baptist church.

Mr. Walton is survived by his wife and one child; his mother, Mrs. Eleanor Walton; five brothers, Messrs. G. A., J. E., Z. N., C. T., and W. B. Walton, all of this city, and five sisters, Miss Lizie Walton, of Onslow; Mrs. Marinda Phillips, Mrs. Mary Ketchum, Mrs. Sallie Brown and Mrs. Fannie Padrick, all of Wilmington. They have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow, this being the first death in a family of eleven sons and daughters.

The body will be taken on the 3:25 p. m. train this afternoon to Jacksonville, and thence by private conveyance to the family burying ground at Southwest.

NEGRO CUT; ANOTHER SHOT

Thanksgiving Casualties Corralled by Police Up to Midnight.

With the exception of one young negro carved up rather artistically by another in the vicinity of Eighth and Nixon streets early last night and the probable accidental shooting of another in the leg at Sixth and Nun streets about 10 p. m., the Thanksgiving holiday was rather quiet with the police and few arrests were made during the day and night.

William Croom, about 25 years old, was the victim of the cutting affray, which occurred in a house in MacRae's alley, near Eighth and Nixon, and his assailant is alleged to have been "Son" Gooden, colored, who made his escape. Croom was sent to the hospital with a gash on the arm and an ugly slash just under the shoulder. The cutting is said by the police to have likely been the sequel to a holiday crap game.

George Gibson, also colored and about 25, was proceeding down Nun street, he told Officer Sessom on duty on that beat, when he heard a pistol fire somewhere in his vicinity and a sting in the calf of his leg, between his foot and knee, reminded him that he had been hit. He had no idea who shot him and was sent to the Walker Memorial Hospital where his injuries were dressed and he was later sent home.

SOUTHERN HEALTH EXHIBITION TONIGHT.

Will Open at Jacksonville, Fla.—Other Meetings.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 26.—Modern methods approved for the treatment and prevention of pellagra, hookworm, bubonic plague and other diseases will be demonstrated by the Southern Health Exhibition which will open here tomorrow night. Fourteen Southern states and some 50 leading cities of the South will furnish exhibits.

The annual convention of the American Public Health Association and that of the National Mouth Hygiene Association will open here Monday, meeting in conjunction with the Health Exhibition. Delegates will be in attendance from Canada, Cuba and Mexico as well as from almost every state in the Union.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 26.—Federal Judge A. B. Anderson today released Charles Clogston, editor of the Terre Haute Post, jailed for contempt of court for printing an article criticising a grand jury that is investigating alleged election frauds.

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Special Communication of above Lodges will be held in Masonic Temple this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, sharp, for the purpose of the opening of the 10th District Meeting by

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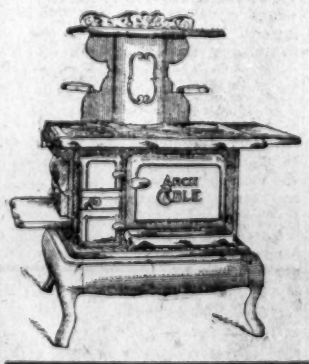

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

WASHINGTON AND LEE BLANKED N. C. AGGIES

Generals' Goal Line Was Seldom In Danger.

Farmers' Only Near-Score Came in the First Quarter When Young Kicked Off Forty Yards to Townsend.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26.—Washington & Lee defeated A. & M. of North Carolina here this afternoon by a score of 7 to 0. The General goal line was never in danger except in the first half when Young kicked off 40 yards to Townsend. The latter ran through a broken field for 85 yards, but the ball was held and A. & M. was forced to kick. The Generals did their scoring in the second quarter when Donohue faked a pass to left end and passed the ball to right end for a touchdown. Young kicked an easy goal.

W. & L.		A. & M.
Seeley	le	McDougal
Schultz	lt	Wnston
Dugwall	lg	Proffitt
Pierotti	c	Plyler (c)
Scarry	rg	Young
Miles	rt	Cooke
Izard	re	Seifert
Donahue(c)	qb	VanBrocklin
Young	lhb	Townsend
Sweetland	rhb	Riddick
Beuhring	fb	Tenney

Substitute: Sharp for Tenney. Officials: Referee, Maxwell of Swarthmore; O'Reilly, of Georgetown, umpire; and Gass of Lehigh head linesman.

TENNESSEE HAS UNBROKEN STRING OF VICTORIES

Closes Season by Defeating Kentucky, by 23 to 6 Score.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 26.—Tennessee closed its football season today with an unbroken string of victories when it defeated Kentucky State—23 to 6. Although outweighed, Kentucky put up a strong game. Vowell, Rainey and Thomason featured for Tennessee, while Schrader and Hite played brilliantly for the visitors. Kentucky scored in the first quarter, but not until after Tennessee had made its first touch down and kicked goal. As a result of this victory, Tennessee claims the championship of the Southern Inter-Collegiate Athletic Association.

EDDIE PULLEN WINNER OF 300 MILE CORONA RACE

Broke All Records for the Distance, With Average of 87 Miles.

Corona, Cal., Nov. 26.—Eddie Pullen won the 300 mile Corona road race this afternoon. His time was 3:26:32, an average of 87 miles an hour.

O'Donnell, number two, was second, and Oldfield third. Pullen broke all records for the distance. The best previous mark was that of Thomas, who made 87 miles an hour at Indianapolis, last May.

O'Donnell's time was 3:29:18; Oldfield's, 3:30:58. DePalma was fourth, in 3:31:51.

SAM LANGFORD SCORED KNOCKOUT ON WILLIS.

Both Men Knocked Down Repeatedly, Langford Taking Count 4 Times.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 26.—With a left swing to the jaw, Sam Langford, of Boston, knocked out Harry Wills, the giant New Orleans negro in the 14th round of a scheduled 20-round fight this afternoon at Vernon.

Both men were knocked down repeatedly, Langford himself taking the count four times in the first two rounds.

Notre Dame 20; Syracuse 0.

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Terrific plunges by Fullback Eichenlaub into the heavy Syracuse line and frequent fumbles by the Orange, enabled Notre Dame to defeat Syracuse today 20 to 0. In the final period the Syracuse defense was shattered and Notre Dame literally marched down the field.

Another Cycler Killed.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 26.—Roy Milner, of Cleveland, the first motorcycle rider to test the new Omaha automobile speedway, which was opened today, was killed when he attempted to take a curve at high speed.

TOM McCARTHY FOUGHT DRAW WITH BATTLING LEVINSKY.

New York, Nov. 26.—Tom McCarthy, of Lewiston, Mont., fought a hard and fast 10-round draw with Battling Levinsky, a New York heavy weight, in Brooklyn today. McCarthy weighed 180 pounds and Levinsky five pounds less.

TWO ROUNDS ENOUGH FOR SAILOR PETROSKY.

San Francisco, Nov. 26.—Billy Murray knocked out Sailor Ed Petrosky here today in the second round of a scheduled 20-round bout.

TOM GIBSON WON OUT IN SIX ROUNDS OF FIGHT.

New York, Nov. 26.—Tom Gibson, of St. Paul, stopped Billy Glover, of Boston, in six rounds at the Bronx Club here today.

FAILURE TO KICK GOAL DOWNED VANDERBILT ELEVEN

Sewanee Won One of Hardest Fought Games of the Season.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 26.—Failure to kick goal after a touchdown resulted in Vanderbilt's defeat here today by Sewanee in one of the closest football games of the season. The score was 14 to 13.

Sewanee's first touchdown came at the end of the second period and in the third quarter Tolley ran 35 yards through the Vanderbilt team after catching a punt, making the second touchdown for the Tigers.

With the score 14 to 0 against them, the Commodores fought hard in the fourth period making two touchdowns, both on forward passes. For Sewanee Tolley was the star. Curry was Vanderbilt's best ground gainer.

Buy initial handkerchiefs now while the stock is complete. C. H. Fore & Co. (advertisement.)

BARRETT THE CAUSE OF CORNELL VICTORY

Made 17 of Their 24 Points Over Pennsylvania.

But Quakers Gave the Ithacans a Bad Scare in Third Period by suddenly Reversing Form and Forging Ahead.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—Cornell defeated Pennsylvania 24 to 12 today in an interesting but loosely played contest. The Quakers gave the Ithacans a bad scare in the third period when with the score 10 to 0 against them, the Pennsylvanians suddenly reversed form. Before Cornell could recover the home eleven had forged to the front, 12 to 10. Cornell then put its scoring machine in motion again and at the end of the period had the advantage 17 to 12.

Cornell had been looked upon as an easy winner but did not play with the smoothness that was expected, fumbles and penalties costing her much ground. The visitors showed scoring power however, and barring the fumbles seldom were stopped in their progress. Forward passes greatly aided Pennsylvania in scoring its two touchdowns. Barrett contributed 17 of Cornell's 24 points and stopped many of Pennsylvania's plays.

FOOT BALL

At Richmond: Virginia, 20; North Carolina, 3.

At Norfolk: Washington and Lee, 7; North Carolina A. and M., 0.

At Philadelphia: Cornell, 24; Pennsylvania, 12.

At Pittsburg: University of Pittsburg, 13; Pennsylvania State, 3.

At New Orleans: Tulane, 6; L. S. U., 0.

At Nashville: Vanderbilt, 13; Sewanee, 14.

At Columbia, S. C.: University of S. C., 7; Citadel, 6.

At Providence: Brown, 20; Carlisle, 14.

At Atlanta: Georgia Techs., 26; Clemson, 6.

At Austin, Tex.: Texas University, 39; Wabash, 0.

At Roanoke: V. P. I., 3; V. M. I., 0.

At Bristol: King College, 27; Tenn. Military Institute, 0.

At Lynchburg: Roanoke College, 19; Hampden-Sidney, 0.

At Charlotte: Davidson, 7; Wake Forest, 6.

At Greenville: Maryville, 26; Furman, 19.

At Knoxville: Tennessee, 23; Kentucky State, 6.

At Fairmont, W. Va.: W. Va. Wesleyan, 14; West Virginia, 9.

At Spartanburg: Newberry, 15; Wofford, 7.

At Washington: Georgetown, 12; Gallaudet, 7.

At Washington, Pa.: Washington and Jefferson, 34; Bucknell, 0.

At Easton, Pa.: LaFayette, 56; Dickinson, 7.

At New York: Villa Nova, 7; Fordham, 6.

At New York: Rutgers, 33; New York University, 0.

At Baltimore: Johns Hopkins, 13; St. John, 34.

At Lancaster, Pa.: Franklin and Marshall, 7; Gettysburg, 6.

At Lexington, Ky.: Transylvania University, 53; Central University, 3.

At Gainesville, Fla.: Florida, 14; Mercer, 0.

At Birmingham, Ala.: Mississippi A. and M., 9; Alabama, 0.

At Oklahoma City: Oklahoma A. and M., 7; Colorado A. and M., 0.

At Beaumont, Tex.: A. and M. of Texas, 14; University of Mississippi, 7.

At Chattanooga: University of Chattanooga, 61; Cumberland, 7.

At Cleveland, O.: Western Reserve, 14; Case, 6.

At Jackson, Miss.—Mississippi College 27, Harvard 6.

Richard Croker 73 His Bride Only 23

FORMER CHIEF OF TAMMANY HALL WEDS INDIAN GIRL CLAIMS TO BE PRINCESS

New York, Nov. 26.—Richard W. Croker, the former Tammany Hall leader, was married today to Miss Bula Benton Edmondson, a member of the Cherokee Indian tribe, who is 50 years his junior. He is 73 years old, and she is 23. Tonight the bride and groom are on their way to the Croker estate near Palm Beach, Fla., for their honeymoon. Only about 25 were invited to the wedding.

The bride was given away by her uncle, W. W. Hastings, who for 15 years has been attorney for the Cherokees and who recently was elected to Congress from Oklahoma.

A typewritten statement given out by the bride of the ceremony made clear a good deal of her life history, which had been reported in many different ways since knowledge of her engagement became known. The statement said she was an Indian princess, known as Princess Sequoyah, or Ketaw Kaluntuchy, among her tribe. Her father, the statement continued, was Michael Smith Edmondson, a descendant of Roger De Montgomery, who commanded the Van of the Norman army at the battle of Hastings and her mother was Galela Welch, who descended from the famous chief Sequoyah, inventor of the Cherokee alphabet.

She is proud of her Indian ancestry and the Cherokees are proud of her as a college girl, lecturer, ranch owner and business woman, said the statement.

Croker first saw the girl in Kansas City when she was nine years old, according to the statement.

VIRGINIA DOWNED CAROLINA OUTCLASSING THROUGHOUT

But Carolina Offered A Surprising Resistence

TANDY'S FIELD GOAL

Visitors Were on Defensive for Larger Part of the Game and Old Style Football Was Played Almost Entirely.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 26.—Virginia won from North Carolina here today by the score of 20 to 3 making the ninth consecutive victory in the annual Thanksgiving Day clash between the football teams representing the leading universities of their respective States. The game was devoid of spectacular features, but was hotly contested, the Carolinians making a surprising resistance at times.

The game was witnessed by one of the largest crowds in the history of local football. Among the spectators were Gov. Henry C. Stuart, of Virginia; Gov. Locke Craig, of North Carolina; John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Treasury; Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, and Tyrus Raymond Cobb.

Virginia outclassed the North Carolinians in every particular, its fast backs gaining ground at will. The visitors were on the defensive for the larger part of the game. Old style football was resorted to, not a single forward pass being made by either team. Virginia scored three touchdowns by gruelling line plunging while Carolina made its lone score by the field goal route, the ball being kicked by Tandy from the forty-yard line.

Gooch, Mayer and Coleman starred for Virginia, while Captain Taylor, Tandy, Homewood and Parker played stellar ball for the losers.

Lineup and summary:

Virginia 20.		Carolina 3.
White	LE	Huske
Ward	LT	Ramsey
Coleman	LG	Cowell
Evans	C	Tandy
Moore	RG	Foust
Barker	RT	Jones
Gillette	RE	Homewood
Gooch	QB	Bridges
Word	RH	Winston
Sparr	FB	Reid
Mayer	LH	Taylor

Summary.

Substitutions—Virginia: Burnett for Word; Word for Burnett; Coleman for Coleman; Ed. Anderson for Barker. For Caroline: Parker for Reid; Allen for Bridges; Bridges for Allen; Fuller for Winston; Wright for Homewood.

Touchdowns: Mayer 2, Sparr.

Goal from touchdowns: Barker, mayer.

Goal from field: Tandy.

Officials: MacGoffin (Michigan), referee; Armstrong (Yale), headlinesman; Davis (Hamden-Sydney), umpire.

Times of quarters, 15 minutes each.

LAST PRELIMINARY GAMES

Two Fast Basketball Contests at Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

Those who journey down to the Y. M. C. A. tonight will be doubly rewarded. Two fast and snappy games are scheduled. The first will be when Young Davis pits his braves against the aggregation headed by Westbrook, the basketball player who knows how to put a team on top, as proven by his last year's success in running his team so that they were able to take the lead in the league race and to stay there, thus winning the Commercial League series of last year. So the fans are assured of a fast and hard-fought game, because both teams are in the best of trim and both out to take the other fellows' scalp.

The second game will no doubt be a hummer, as Veteran Hanson, many times victor in past Y. M. C. A. leagues, will oppose the husky and lightning passing bunch headed by E. C. Hines. All the fellows are full of pep and will be able to go with full steam ahead al through the game. The style of basketball put up this year is far superior to that of last year. The fellows are able to pass the ball more accurately and faster, thus making a much prettier game to watch, and less scrapping and a much cleaner game all along. It is the aim of the referee to push the game at all stages and make fast clean sport, both for the players and spectators alike.

Tonight's games will be the last of the preliminary series. The object of this league was that the players would get into good condition so that they can play a fast game and in the opinion of the physical director that has been accomplished, and so the league has been a training league to the big league to follow, which will be known as the second annual Y. M. C. A. Commercial Basketball League, each team in the league representing a retail business in this city. The games will be played on Friday night of each week and will continue through the winter. The schedule and teams entered will be announced in the near future.

NAVY SQUAD LEAVES FOR PHILLY THIS MORNING

Final Practice on Home Grounds Yesterday Afternoon.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 26.—The navy had final practice on the home grounds today for the big game with the Army Saturday. No scrimmage was allowed but there were signal and formation drills. Much pains was taken with surprise plays.

The squad will leave for Philadelphia at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Army's Last Drill.

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 26.—The Army had its final drill today for Saturday's football game with the navy at Philadelphia. The workout was principally on defensive formations for forward pass and drop-kick plays.

New neckwear for today. C. H. Fore & Co. (advertisement.)

N. C. RIDER KILLED IN MOTOR CYCLE RACE

Annual 300 Mile Race At Savannah Georgia.

Another Rider Perhaps Fatally Injured—Lee Taylor, of Ohio, Was Winner of the 300-Mile Race. Mooresville Man Killed.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 26.—One rider was killed and two others seriously injured, one probably fatally, in the second annual 300-mile motorcycle race here today over the Savannah motor race course.

The dead: Gray Sloop, Mooresville, N. C., neck, back, hip and leg broken.

The injured: Z. D. Kelly, Savannah, left leg crushed and serious internal injuries. Recovery doubtful.

K. H. Verrill, Chicago, badly bruised and lacerated and skull may be fractured. Physicians believe he will recover.

The race was won by Lee Taylor, of Middletown, O., who completed the 27 laps in 5:02:32. Joseph Wolters, of Chicago, was second, and Irving Jenke, of Milwaukee, third. There were 33 entrants.

Sloop's death resulted when he lost control of his motorcycle, ran over a small embankment and crashed headlong into a tree. He was dead when aid reached him.

Kelly was hurt when he struck a tree while rounding a curve. He was thrown 15 feet, his machine falling on top of him.

Verrill crashed into another machine ahead of him and was thrown with terrific force to the ground. The other rider was not hurt.

MIXED PLAY WON FOR GEORGIA TECHNOLOGY

Defeated Clemson College Twenty Six to Six

South Carolina Unable to Gain Consistently—Both Sides Penalized For Rough Playing at Frequent Intervals.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 26.—With a mixture of open and mass playing the football eleven of the Georgia Technology defeated Clemson here today 26 to 6 in their annual Thanksgiving Day game.

The South Carolinians were unable to gain consistently, their single touchdown reaching from their only successful forward pass in a dozen or more attempts.

Technology frequently resorted to the use of the forward pass and its first touchdown resulted from such a play, Goree going over after a short run following a long pass from Morrison.

Felder and Patten were the offensive stars for Tech, each making several sensational end runs. Webb starred for Clemson on both the defensive and offensive.

Penalties for holding and rough playing were frequent each side suffering in almost equal proportion.

The lineup and summary:

Clemson 6.		Ga. Tech. 26
C. F. Gee	LE	Goree
Magill	LT	Mauck
Littlejohn	LG	Lang
Randall	C	McCord
Suggs	RG	Sneed
Schilletter (c)	RT	Alexander
Straibbling	RE	Senter
McMillan	QB	Johnston
James	LB	Patten
Major	RH	(c) Fielder
Webb	FB	Morrison

Scor eby periods:

Tech	6	13	0	7	—26
Clemson	0	6	0	0	— 6

Summary.

Touchdowns—Goree, Johnston, Patten, Fielder, James.

Goals from touchdowns—Fielder 2.

Goals from touchdowns missed—Morrison 1, Schilletter 1.

Referee, Butler, North Carolina; umpire, Alvin Brown, Sewanee; headlinesman, Fenton, Auburn.

Substitutions—For Clemson: J. F. Gee for C. F. Gee; Logan for Major; McConnell for James.

Substitutions for Tech: Spence for Alevander; Cushman for Goree; Churchill for Mauck; Alexander for Spence; Goree for Cushman; Hayes for Patten; Roundtree for Johnston; Patten for Churchill; Brown for McCord; Fletcher for Sneed.

HARVEY, OF V. P. I., WON IN FINAL FIVE MINUTES

Defeated Virginia Military Institute Three to Nothing.

Roanoke, Va., Nov. 26.—With but five minutes' of play time left, Left End Harvey, of V. P. I., a substitute player kicked a field goal from V. M. I.'s 25-yard line this afternoon and won the annual Thanksgiving Day football game between these teams. For the rest of the playing time neither side was able to gain much ground, the two teams apparently being well balanced.

Terre Haute, Ind., Nov. 26.—Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis and Billy Wagner, of Chicago, boxed ten rounds to a draw here today. Saylor was the aggressor.

GOLF HONORS WERE DIVIDED YESTERDAY

Dr. J. W. Stanley and Mr. W. G. Robertson the Winners.

Former Won Thanksgiving Day Handicap and Latter 36-Hole Scratch Event at the Country Club. The Scores.

One of the most successful golf tournament days in the history of the Cape Fear Country Country Club was yesterday, when the annual Thanksgiving Day handicap and the 36-hole scratch tournament were held. The first event was won by Dr. J. W. Stanley, with a net score of 75 and the 36-hole scratch tournament by Mr. W. G. Robertson, with a gross score of 185. Two sweepstakes events and the annual club oyster roast and picnic dinner were other features of the day at the links.

In the Thanksgiving Day handicap, 16 players qualified for the 36-hole scratch tournament, which was to determine the "Club Medalist" for the current season. Mr. Robertson won the gold medal offered by the club, and the title of "Club Medalist."

Second place in the Thanksgiving handicap was tied for by Mr. E. C. Holt and Mr. A. B. Skelding, and will be played off within the next few days. W. A. Townes, Esq., won second place in the 36-hole scratch event.

Thanksgiving Day Handicap.

The following are the scores in the Thanksgiving Day handicap:

Class "A."

	Gross.	H'd'k'p.	Net.
Dr. J. W. Stanley	90	15	75
W. A. Townes	92	12	80
A. S. Williams	93	16	77
E. C. Holt	93	17	76
W. A. French	94	14	80
W. G. Robertson	96	11	85
M. Calder	97	16	81
F. W. Dick	97	10	87
W. Buckner	99	16	83
R. Bradley	100	18	82
C. E. Taylor	100	8	92
J. F. Roache	101	13	88
A. B. Skelding	102	26	76
J. A. Stewart	102	9	93
H. deW. Rapalje	103	15	88
R. W. Barker	103	17	86

Class "B."

R. C. James	104	17	87
J. C. McEachin	105	25	80
R. Hunt	105	16	89
C. Van Leuven	106	20	86
W. D. MacMillan, Jr.	106	16	90
E. A. Metts	107	21	86
J. H. Davis	107	17	90
H. L. O'Niell	108	20	88
W. M. Parsley	109	24	85
J. W. Carmichael	109	17	82
W. L. Waring	115	22	93
W. A. Dick	118	30	88
D. H. Howes, Jr.	121	30	91
W. M. Atkinson	122	30	92
M. A. Curtis	124	30	94
A. C. Chalmers	130	30	100
J. F. Sears	132	30	102
J. L. Williams	133	30	103
Mr. Royster	155	30	125
T. H. Wright, (Score not filed.)			
R. A. Williams, (Score not filed).			

Winner, Dr. J. W. Stanley, first, loving cup; second place tie between Mr. E. C. Holt and Mr. A. B. Skelding.

36-Hole Scratch Tournament.

Out of the 16 players who qualified for the 36-hole scratch event, the following scores were returned:

W. G. Robertson	96	89	185
W. A. Townes	92	96	188
W. A. French	94	100	194
M. Calder	97	98	195
F. W. Dick	97	99	196
J. W. Stanley	90	108	198
R. W. Barker	103	97	200
W. Buckner	99	101	200
H. deW. Rapalje	103	101	204

Winner, Mr. W. G. Robertson, gold medal; second place, Mr. Townes, half dozen golf balls.

In the morning and afternoon sweepstakes events, the winners of first, second and third places were as follows:

Morning Sweepstakes.

Dr. J. W. Stanley, first; four golf balls.

A. B. Skelding, second, two golf balls.

A. S. Williams, third, one golf ball.

Afternoon Sweepstakes.

R. W. Barker, first, three golf balls.

W. Buckner, second, one golf ball.

J. C. McEachin, third, one golf ball.

The best round for the day was made by Mr. W. G. Robertson in the afternoon, while playing in the 36-hole event. Mr. Robertson's card for this round was as follows:

5 3 4 4 6 4 5 6 5—42

The player who showed the most marked improvement in his game yesterday was Mr. A. B. Skelding, who turned in lower scores than he ever had on any previous tournament.

The annual oyster roast and picnic dinner yesterday at noon, served under the spreading long leaf pines, was attended by about 150 members of the club and members of their families, and was one of the most enjoyable features of the day.

WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PLAYS GOLDSBORO TOMORROW.

The football team of the Wilmington High School will leave on the Coast Line tomorrow morning at 7:30 for Goldsboro, where they will meet the strong Raleigh team in a championship game tomorrow afternoon. Raleigh and Wilmington are conceded to have the strongest school teams in the eastern part of the State, and the battle is expected to be one of the tightest contested games ever seen in Goldsboro.

Wilmington has been a good bet almost all over Eastern North Carolina until the Raleigh eleven blanked the John Marshall school at Richmond Wednesday, this score coming as a big surprise everywhere.

The Wilmington teams have played five games this season, winning all, and have scored 218 points to their rivals' two points.

All friends of the players who wish to go to Goldsboro on the same train tomorrow morning may get the advantage of a block ticket rate of $3.40 for the round trip by applying to Manager Morrison at the depot at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

TULANE AND LOUISIANA PLAY SCORELESS TIE

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1914.

Warsaw trouble from the very start.

Our ship is still on the way and may come in about Christmas.

Bad people tell lies, good people tell them over, and all people pretend to hate a liar.

When war in Europe winds up the United States will have fewer alien friends than it had before.

Those who took a selfish view of Thanksgiving Day were thankful that they are better off than thousands of others.

When public sentiment hastily forms as the result of ignorance and prejudice, not even a double-barrelled siege gun could budge it.

Wars can be expected so long as there are men who can be depended upon to start a riot about a rain ticket at a football game.

Farmers who have made plenty on which to fatten hogs this fall can grow meat from now till February. It is poor farm economy that does not include some kind of production from September to February.

Republican organs seem to fear that Uncle Joe Cannon may again be the Republican party's Jonah if he is permitted to do the leading in the next Congress. Will your old Uncle be given a back seat by his party?

When an army retreats for strategical reasons they are about like those given by "Red Buck" in explaining why he jumped out of a window instead of meandering out at the door when the shooting began at an old-fashioned Republican meeting at Maxton.

The Manchester (N. Y.) Leader: "What with a $2,000,000 order for shoes to be delivered for the allied armies of Europe not later than January 15, Manchester begs to be excused from singing any calamity chorus." Manchester shoes may save defeat of the allies.

When there is a lull on the firing line in France and Flanders, sympathizers with the allies blame them for taking advantage of it to rest. Those who are not on the firing line surely ought to be there a while to get a little experience. It would do them good and make them wiser.

A Congressman who seeks to attract notoriety by exposing to the world the alleged defenselessness of the United States gets it. He gains notoriety for giving a horrible example of his lack of judgment and discretion. Why should a man who yawps be given credit for making a speech?

The Kinston Free Press has installed a webb perfecting press and it is coming out in greatly improved form. It is now a seven column, eight page newspaper, giving its patrons telegraph service and departments that make it altogether an excellent daily. To judge from the appearance of the Free Press, one would think that Kinston is four times as big as it was a month ago.

Southern farmers have a chance to make many food and money crops by April, May and June. Many eastern North Carolina farmers have produced saleable food crops since the war broke out in Europe. However, there is only one Eastern North Carolina. There is plenty of room in it for farmers who want crop seasons and farm opportunities for every month throughout the year.

Great objection is made to a power which wants to dominate a part of the earth, but everybody is expected to yield the mastery of the sea to a navy that is big enough to interfere with the ships of belligerents and neutrals at will. This ought to be the last war in which neutral nations should be expected to have their commerce crippled on account of a war in which they are not the least concerned.

COMMUNITY SERVICE WEEK.

The dominant note of this age is co-operation. Individualism still has its place but if any movement worth while is to accomplish anything it must engage large numbers of people in its behalf. Consequently today we have many movements, all having for their aim and purpose the betterment of some class or classes. One of the latest of these movements launched in North Carolina is that of Community Service.

This idea had its inception in the fertile brain of Dr. Edward K. Graham, president of the University of North Carolina, who suggested that it would be a good thing to have the people of North Carolina set aside one week to the consideration of all matters of public welfare; in other words, to have a "Civic Service Week."

The idea was received favorably by a number of earnest men and women and was presented by Dr. Clarence Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, and Dr. Graham, to the State Board of Agriculture, the State Farmers' Union, the State Conference for Social Service, the State Press Association, the North Carolina Federation of Woman's Clubs and the North Carolina Good Roads Association, and each of these organizations gave it their hearty and unanimous endorsement. The result of the agitation was that it was decided to have a "Community Service Week" and Governor Locke Craig, always interested in everything that makes for the upbuilding of this grand old commonwealth, has by official proclamation designated next week as a time when the people of the State shall get together in each community and discuss those things which are deemed of most importance.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who has labored for many years to provide means for educating the boys and girls of this State, decided several months ago to merge the observance of "North Carolina Day" in the public schools with Community Service Week and this has served to enlist the vast army of school children of the State in the movement.

Next Friday has been set apart for this purpose and the New Hanover schools have been working for the past month getting ready for the proper observance of the day. This will be a day when not only the children will be expected to meet at the school houses but their parents will also be expected to attend. As we see it, this will be a long step forward in making the school house the social center of the community and whenever that is accomplished the way is paved for more rapid strides in material and intellectual development than has heretofore been possible.

Some of the other counties of the State will observe the week on a more extensive scale and will perhaps be able to accomplish more, but we expect New Hanover to reap a great benefit, even from one day given over to unselfish consideration of mutual problems. It means the dawn of a brighter day and a great impetus in North Carolina towards the realization of the long cherished ideal of the brotherhood of man.

HUMAN HYENAS OF WAR TIMES

It is a sad reflection on mankind that during such distressing conditions as war brings about, there are plenty of men so obsessed of greed and selfishness that they become the hyenas of trade. They not only take advantage of the situation to squeeze up prices but they drive hard bargains with those whom they get in their power. They even do more than that. They will rob the government which employs them as purchasing agents, while sellers and purchasers will combine in as rank a system of freebooting as ever did the the pirates who were hanged by the yard arm in the harbor at Southport.

Some of the European belligerents have been buying millions of dollars' worth of supplies in America, the principle purchasers of war necessaries being Great Britain and France. This early in the game there has been unearthed what is called "scandals in war purchases." Scandal is a mild name for what is justly the rankest brand of infamy. It is playing a game of grafting and craftiness for gold, while men are dying by the thousands on the battlefields for a cause which some of their compatriots, or other commercial ghouls, are using to obtain ill-gotten gains. Some of them are dying for their country while others are sobbing it. The difference between such men and vultures which swoop down to prey on the slain on the field of battle is that vultures prey by instinct, while a certain class of men prey by chance.

According to the views of the Washington government, there is no violation of neutrality by American firms who sell war supplies to foreign purchasers, but in carrying on the business they should be careful not do damage to the reputation of American tradesmen. However, the New York Journal of Commerce says there appears to be no charge of misrepresentation or collusion on the part of the original American sellers of war material, and they can not afford to share the odium involved in this scandal, concerning which that paper says:

"It is unfortunately a familiar fact in this country that illegitimate profit is made in time of war in the purchase of supplies by governments for army use, and some of the manufacturers here are said to be discovering that some foreign agents are disposing of their goods at higher prices than they receive by much more than a proper commission. It is stated that in some cases the specifications for the buying contracts have been misrepresented, so that cheaper goods have been bought than were really specified, while the higher value has been charged to the governments or government representatives dealt with. This is said to have resulted in some cases in rejection of the goods or cancellation of contracts without any fault on the part of the seller. In other cases, according to report, there has been some intermediate party acting as the direct purchaser, with discounts or rebates or extra commissions, to cover the disparity between the initial and the ultimate price."

For the sake of the integrity of the American people, it is hoped no American firm will even be permitted to be party to the infamy which is disclosed by the discoveries made in London concerning purchases made in this country. The reputation of American manufacturers and traders is at stake, and serious damage may be done to American trade as a whole. We are glad to see the statement that manufacturers and dealers in supplies are combining to put a stop to this infamous graft. They certainly ought to be on their guard and be quick to expose all commercial ghouls. In doing so they will protect their own interests and help to preserve American reputation.

GOVERNMENT OWNED SHIPS

With respect to the failure of cotton move forward to foreign countries, and the apparent lack of ships for cotton cargoes, there is renewed talk of government owned ships to supply the country with the means of ocean transportation. The Philadelphia Record (Dem.) seems disposed to think that cotton is not being exported for some other reason than lack of ships. Says that paper:

"It is not easy to understand the announcement from Washington that the President is convinced that there is inadequate transportation for prospective cotton exports, and is more fully than ever persuaded of the need of a fleet of merchant steamers owned by the government. Grain is going abroad in unprecedented amounts, and there is no complaint of inability to get it moved. On the other hand, the exports of cotton while steadily increasing, are very much below those of normal years. There are no signs of an immediate movement of cotton that would exceed present means of transportation."

There seems to be no lack of ships to carry grain and foodstuffs to Europe, and we rather suspect that the real reason for the slowness of cotton exportation is that the European countries are first supplying their needs for something to live on during the winter. There is evident lack of European orders for cotton, but when the grain shipping season is passed there will be a better opportunity for cotton exports.

Announcement was received at the State Department on Wednesday of the receipt of advice from the American Legation at The Hague that the foreign office of the Netherlands government states that no difficulties will be presented to consignments of cotton in transit to Germany or to transhipment of cotton consigned to Dutch firms. It is further stated that before or upon arrival of shipments consigned to Dutch firms, transit permits may be obtained by them from the Netherlands government.

The American commission for the relief of Belgium is doing good work in relieving the distress of war sufferers but it is doing a bad piece of work in sending out unguarded statements and making criticisms that have nothing to do with the benevolent purpose of Americans in sending relief to Europeans. Americans may yet have to send relief to the people of all the warring nations, without regard to neutrality. It is a humane work and if it can not be done on that basis, it is better not to do it at all. Americans ought to be careful not to offend the recipients of this country's bounty, and, as well, not to create enmity for this country by criticising any of the belligerents. It is easy enough to make charges or stir up controversy without knowing either the facts or the circumstances controlling in any country which has a terrible war on its hands.

After the 4th of next March the Presidential campaign will be commenced for 1916. During the next two years a lot of Republican presidential timber will be trimmed to a finish.

CURRENT COMMENT.

While many Georgia farmers have suffered loss on account of hog cholera the disease is not by any means confined to this state. In Point township, Northumberland county, Pennsylvania, one farmer lost 85 hogs by cholera and more than 175 have died from the disease. In other states there have been similar losses. Farmers who fail to protect their hogs against the scourge are risking the loss of them all, while if they inoculate them with anti-cholera serum the chances are very much in favor of their losing none at all.—Savannah News.

It is never too late to mend and do good. A colored preacher, now serving time on the city streets, advertises that he will preach a Masonic sermon at the convict camp Thanksgiving afternoon and he wants the public to come out and hear him. Last year about this time a negro who went by the name of "Preacher" among his race, was serving a term for larceny and he always held prayers at night and preached when anyone would listen to him. He made a splendid hand and was made a trusty. One day the guards caught him stealing a sack of beans—caught him with the goods on him.—Greensboro Record.

Portugal, which has declared war against Germany, has been on friendly terms with England since the 14th century. But the closest link between the two countries has been a convivial one. For the average Englishman Portugal long sood for port. The rich wine of Oporto seems peculiarly suited to the English palate, and when, by the Methuen treaty of 1713, it became vendable in this country at two-thirds the price of most rival brands, its popularity naturally increased. It is still the Englishman's favorite wine, and even teetotalers have sometimes tried to exclude it from the general taboo of their pledge.—London Chronicle.

Range finders on English and French war vessels cruising off the port of New York are suspected of getting out of order easily, as a result of which the vessels occasionally get within the three-mile limit. It is said that the forts at Sandy Hook have been obliged to fire a shot or two across their bows to notify them that they were getting into United States waters. If the story be true we have no idea that any foreign government will make diplomatic representations on the subject. It is certain that the shots were without hostile significance, and it could not be held to be even unfriendly to warn hostile vessels out of our own national waters.—Philadelphia Record.

Some of the critics of the President's neutrality policy have weird and wonderful theories of the powers of government. For example, Roger W. Babson, writing in The Sun, makes this unique contribution to the law of the nation: "How bitter the Germans must soon feel toward us when they hear our government is permitting munitions of war to be shipped every day from this country to England, Russia and France, while Germany cannot get from us even the necessities of life! Of course, our excuse is that it is not our fault that England controls the seas. Yet we know very well that if our State Department should say to England, 'We will permit nothing to be shipped to your country or France unless you permit the merchant ships of all nations the freedom to transport goods not contrabrand,' England would graciously give in." It is possible that "England would graciously give in," but it is quite certain that the United States Supreme Court would not give in, graciously or ungraciously or at all. The State Department has about as much power to place an embargo on exports to Great Britain and France as it has to compel Mr. Babson in compiling his railway statistics to make two and two five. There was a time when the average intelligent American knew something about the Constitution, something about the limitations imposed on the national authority, but evidently Americans of that type are rapidly disappearing, particularly in the East. Perhaps they think that Mr. Roosevelt abolished the Constitution.—New York World.

There are at the present time 50 deep water ships in the harbor at Seattle loading or to load here for foreign ports or for the Atlantic seaports of the United States, making the voyage through the Panama Canal. It is the greatest deep water tonnage which there has ever been in this port at any one time. And Seattle has for many years occupied an important position among the great ports of the world. It is a fact, scarcely known or realized elsewhere than in this city and not fully among our own people, that the port of Puget Sound has been for some years the second American port in the volume of the tonnage employed in its foreign trade. It is also and it long has held the position of the first American seaport in the proportionate share of its tonnage which is under the American flag. There have been years in which the American tonnage employed in its foreign trade was in actual volume in excess of that from any other single American ocean port. At present it stands second only to New York in that respect. During the year 1913 there cleared from this port in the foreign trade 3,058,504 tons, as compared with 14,370,619 from New York and 2,768,775 from New Orleans, which stands third in the list of American ports. Our shipping is nearly twice as great in tonnage as that of either Boston or Baltimore and exceeds that of Philadelphia by nearly 1,000,000 tons. These were the figures of 1913. The expansion of our overseas trade promises to break all records this year, and the presence of the big fleet in this port of Seattle at the present time is an indication of the growth of our trade. Germany and Austria are about the only large countries of the world with which we have not a direct trade now, and the war alone is responsible for the cutting off of the lines to Germany. —Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

HAVE IT AND DON'T KNOW IT

To the Editor of The Star:

I am sending you a copy of a letter that Secretary R. D. W. Conner, of the North Carolina Historical Commission, has sent out to some of the county superintendents who were asking for information that they had right in their county towns but did not know it. In the clerk's office of each county, there is not only the Colonial and State Records, but also a set of the North Carolina Regimental histories and a set of the North Carolina Roster of the Soldiers of the Civil War. Will you please do the public the favor to comment on the truth. I am sending one copy to you, one to the News and Observer, one to the Greensboro News, one to the Charlotte Observer and one to the Asheville Citizen, and I do hope you all can enlighten the public. The clerks by writing to me can get the four index volumes.

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Women's 50c Silk Stockings, black, white, navy, green, and tan; Special, only 39c

These are but a few of the many and wonderful bargains that are here, but we have not the space to mention all the good things. Every Miss and Woman should make sure to reap the advantage of these extraordinary values in Coat Suits, Dresses and Skirts; Cloaks and Wraps.

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DISTRIGT MASONIC MEETING TONIGHT

Local Lodges Will Be Hosts in Masonic Temple Here

Grand Master John T. Alderman Will be Guest of Honor and Deliver Principal Address—Large Attendance is Expected.

The local lodges, A. F. & A. M., will be the hosts at a meeting of the Masons of the 10th district, to be held in the Masonic Temple here this evening, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock, at which time it is expected several hundred members of the order from the lodges in the district will be in attendance. Most Worshipful John T. Alderman, Grand Master of North Carolina, will be the guest of honor, and will deliver the principal address.

An elaborate programme, including several addresses, and music by a quartette from St. John's Lodge, No. 1, will be carried out, and a most appetizing menu has been prepared for the banquet, which will not be the least enjoyable feature.

The meeting will be opened by Dr. W. D. McMillen, District Deputy Grand Master, and Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, the chaplain, will pronounce the invocation. This will be followed by the opening ode, after which Past Grand Master W. B. McKoy, of Wilmington, will introduce Grand Master John T. Alderman.

After the reception and Grand Honors to the Grand Master by the members of the 10th District, Grand Master Alderman will deliver his address.

The address of welcome to the members and visiting Masons of the 10th District will be delivered by Mr. C. L. Meister, Past Master of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, and the response by Dr. R. H. Cranmer, Past Master of Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, Southport.

Mr. Jas. F. Sears, Past Master of Orient Lodge, No. 395, will preside as toast master at the banquet. The menu for the supper is as follows:

"Pythagoras" Cocktail
"Tabor" Celery "Lebanon" Olives
"Burgaw" Roast Turkey. English Peas
"Waccamaw" Salad Hot Rolls
"Boardman" Ham
Potatoes "Chadbourn"
Coffee "Fair Bluff"
Crackers Biscuit "Atkinson" Fruit
Ice Cream Cake
Cigars Cigarettes

The different committees from the local lodges, in charge of the arrangements for the district meeting, are as follows:

Railroad Station Reception—H. H. Ford, C. L. Terry, B. A. Merritt, P. M.; W. B. McKoy, P. G. M.; B. T. Hopkins, W. K. Gaylor, A. S. Holden.

Refreshments—R. C. de Rosset, P. M.; B. A. Merritt, P. M.; C. L. Terry.

Masonic Temple Recention — J. H. Mitchell, Master; John Thames, Master; H. B. Bailey, Master; L. A. Scott, Senior Warden; C. F. Strunck, Senior Warden; C. B. Newcomb, Junior Warden; W. C. Benson, Junior Warden.

The quartette from St. John's Lodge, No. 1, which will render music at the meeting, is composed of W. R. Dosher, first tenor; A. L. Dosher, second tenor; W. A. McGirt, first bass; W. B. Muse, second bass.

The following are the lodges composing the 10th Masonic District:

St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington; King Solomon Lodge, No. 138, Burgaw; Fair Bluff Lodge, No. 190, Fair Bluff; Lebanon Lodge, No. 207, Whiteville; Pythagoras Lodge, No. 249, Southport; Wilmington Lodge, No. 319, Wilmington; Orient Lodge, No. 395, Wilmington; Boardman Lodge, No. 536, Boardman; Tabor Lodge, No. 563, Tabor; Waccamaw Lodge, No. 596, Bolton; Chadbourn Lodge, No. 607, Chadbourn; Lodge U. D., Atkinson.

MOTOR-DRIVEN PARCELS POST SERVICE FOR CITY

Change is Made in Time to Help Out During the Holiday Rush.

After December 1st the horse-drawn wagon used for the collection and delivery of parcels post mail here will be replaced by a motor-driven vehicle, and two motor cycles with carrying baskets will replace what are now known as mounted carriers. The delivery motor car will be used in the central portions of the city, and the motor cycles will be used in handling package mail to the outskirts of the city and for the collection of mail from the boxes in the various parts of the city.

The motor-driven delivery car has already been shipped from the factory and is due to arrive here some time next week. The contract to furnish the service has been awarded to Mr. W. D. MacMillan, one of the local automobile dealers.

The substitution of a motor service for the old service will greatly facilitate the handling of the ever-increasing volume of the parcels post business here, which has made the change necessary, and the change is made at a time, too, when it will be most needed, for the usual Christmas rush is only a few weeks off. Postmaster Goeen and his assistants are already planning to meet the heavy holiday business, and extra motor-driven delivery service will be provided during the busiest part of the holiday season. Arrangements are also being made to handle the incoming parcels post mail in the basement of the building during the holiday season, as was done last year.

Posters have been received to be posted in the lobby of the postoffice and in other public places, urging the citizens to co-operate with the department in handling the heavy holiday mail by mailing early, wrapping securely and addressing plainly.

LECTURE SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. C. F. Linthicom of Baltimore to Speak at Victoria Theatre.

Under the auspices of Wilmington Council Knights of Columbus the people of this city and visitors on that day will have the pleasure of hearing a most interesting and instructive lecture Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Victoria Theatre by Mr. C. F. Linthicum, of Baltimore, Md. Mr. Linthicum will have for his subject "Chivalry" and everybody is invited to hear him. There will be no charge for admission.

Mr. Linthicum is spoken of as a finished speaker and he will be heard with much interest in the lecture announced for this city.

HOME GARDEN CAMPAIGN

Wilmington Will be Visited by Agent of United States Bureau of Education on Tour.

A movement to develop a comprehensive home-garden system in connection with the public schools has been launched by the United States Bureau of Education, and Miss Ethel Gowans, a graduate of the Agricultural College of New York State, has been employed as teacher and investigator, and s now on a tour of several of the Southern States. She will visit Wilmington and other North Carolina cities in the State between now and Christmas.

Miss Gowans has already visited Charlottesville and Danville, Va., and Reidsville, Greensboro, Raleigh, Durham and Goldsboro, N. C., in the interest of the movement, and has met with much encouragement on every hand. She reports that the superintendents of the various schools will take a survey of the home garden prospects and do everything in their power to push the movement forward.

Miss Gowans was scheduled to be in Richmond yesterday, and from there her itinerary will include Orange, High Point, Thomasville, Lexington, Salisbury, Concord, Charlotte, Gastonia, Columbia, Florence, Fayetteville Wilmington, Weldon and other points.

The immediate purpose of the Bureau of Education in launching the movement is to ascertain how much idle land can be put into gardens that will produce food. Miss Gowans is asking the superintendents of the schools of the South to help her get this information. Her survey covers the following: The name and location of the school district, and the area it comprises; the number of families with children in the school, and the type of homes, whether houses with or without lots, apartment houses, flats or tenant houses. The school proper; the number of enrolled pupils, average salary of the elementary teachers, could one of the teachers be made into a good garden teacher; what would be the additional cost to hire such a teacher for 12 months; what would it cost to employ a practical gardener for eight months; is nature study, elementary science, and hygiene taught in the schools?

The survey of the home will cover: The number of children in the home between 8 and 15, the number in school, boys and girls, the occupation of these children the last summer, and the income from their summer's work.

The amount of land about each home that could be used for vegetable gardening, for flowers, and an estimate of the value of the vegetables and the fruit that could be grown on it.

The character of the soil in each garden spot is desired.

Is any garden work done in the particular home? If so, who cares for the garden? What vegetables are raised? What are the opportunities for small fruits—strawberries, dewberries, raspberries, currants, gooseberries? How many fruit trees can be grown in the lot?

It is these things that Commissioner P. P. Claxton has sent Miss Gowans to find out.

"The plan," Miss Gowans says, "is to have a teacher for the garden work for each school. This teacher should have charge of the nature study work—the nature study topics of community interest. This does not mean the teaching of botany in the systeamtic way. The object is to teach the children the care of a plant. The teacher can have a laboratory where garden processes are learned by doing them.

"But, what is more important than the school garden is the home garden in the back yard, where vegetables and fruits can be grown. The teacher must be able to tell the children what crops to plant in succession to keep the land busy. No idle land will be permitted. The principles of fertilizing to improve the soil will be taught, so that the land can be kept up to a state of high productivity.

"The garden teacher will show the children how to market their surplus vegetables, and fruit, and how to can what there is no market for when it is gathered. Co-operative marketing will be part of the system.

Miss Gowans was particularly delighted with the encouragement she got at Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro and Winston-Salem. She expects great results from the home gardens in the Cone mill settlements at Greensboro, where 1,000 children attend school.

SALE OF FISHING STEAMERS.

Money Will be Paid Over Today Following Confirmation by Judge.

As noted a few days ago in the Raleigh dispatches to The Star, the recent sale of the four fishing steamers of the Atlantic Phosphate & Oil Corporation, of New York, by order of the court, in front of the pstoffice building, has been confirmed by Judge H. G. Connor and it is expected that the purchasers will pay over the amount of their bids into the court today and the steamers will be turned over to them. They are now in custody of Deputy Marshal J. N. Fennell, of this city.

It is expected that immediately upon the boats being turned over to their new owners they will again be put in the fishing service along the Atlantic coast. There were claims against the steamers aggregating over $50,000 and the aggregate amount of the sale was about $31,000. It is understood that arrangements were made by Mr. J. T. Bulwinkel by which the crews of the three steamers purchased by him will be paid in full.

The steamer Lawrence, which brought $21,000, was bid in by Mr. Hayes, of Rhode Island. The other three boats were bid in by Mr. J. Treadwell Bulwinkel, of New York, as follows: Nat Strong, $5,000; Adroit, $2,800; Portland, $2,200.

NEW MOVIE MACHINE.

National Cash Register People Meet the Demand With New Marvel.

Mr. J. E. O'Donnell, of Raleigh, in charge of this district of the National Cash Register Co., of Dayton, Ohio, arrived Wednesday to spend a couple of days in Wilmington for the purpose of demonstrating in the company's offices, No. 10 Garrell Building, the National Cash Register Company's latest creation to meet a popular demand—that of the rapidly growing moving picture business.

The new machine is technically known as the National Ticket Issuing Register and the several picture proprietors and agencies in this city handling other towns are invited to call at the offices of the company in this city and see the machine in actual operation. Elsewhere in today's paper some of the advantages of the new machine are portrayed and the machine itself challenges the closest investigation in this highly specialized line of business systematizers.

OPTIMISTIC OVER OUTLOOK

Mr. Mark Prentiss, of Washington, D. C., Thinks Cotton Situation Will Improve Greatly.

Mr. Mark Prentiss, managing editor of the Nations' Business, published at Washington, D. C., by the United States Chamber of Commerce, arrived in Wilmington Wednesday, and will be here for the remainder of the week. Mr. Prentiss was with the party composed of a number of the directors and officers of the organization, which visited Wilmington in October. His return to Wilmington is for the purpose of getting better acquainted with the city and its resources. He will have conference with several of the officers and members of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Prentiss said yesterday that while the visit of the directors here last month was necessarily brief, they formed a very favorable opinion of the city. He said that one of the most important results of the tour through the South was the removal of the impression which previously many of them had had that the South was on the verge of financial disaster.

He condemned in the most uncompromising terms the "buy-a-bale" movement, declaring that it had been largely responsible for much of the false impression regarding the condition of the South that had been spread throughout the country. It is his opinion that it was the biggest blunder made in a long time.

He declared that the South has not yet been by any means the hardest hit of any section of the country, but predicted that with reopening of the cotton exchanges of the world, the placing of cotton as non-contraband of war and the declaration of Germany that she would take cotton up to 70 per cent. of her usual market consumption was going very soon to bring cotton to the price that it would have brought if there had been no war. The biggest proposition now, he says, is that of carrying the cotton across the ocean.

He is also of the opinion that the United States is going to be able to greatly increase its exportation of manufactured cotton goods, to the Far East.

He is an efficiency engineer and has made a careful study of the cotton situation and has been especially struck with the fact that the farmers for the most part do not know how much it costs to raise their cotton, and also with the fact that the yield is unusually small when the average is taken into consideration. He realizes, as do the people of Wilmington and other parts of the South, that much remains to be done and that there is big room for improvement, especially in intensive cultivation of the staple.

FUNERAL OF CAPTAIN WM. FISHER CORBETT

Services Yesterday Afternoon From Grace Church Largely Attended.

The funeral of Captain William Fisher Corbett, whose death occurred Wednesday afternoon, was held from Grace Methodist church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Bundy, assisted by Rev. J. C. Wooten, former pastor of Grace church and now pastor of the Edenton Street Methodist church of Raleigh.

The services were attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances, gathered to pay a last sorrowful tribute to the memory of one of Wilmington's best known and most esteemed citizens. During the services the choir of the church rendered several selections.

Upon conclusion of the services at the church, the remains were tenderly borne to Oakdale cemetery for interment. The grave was covered with a wealth of beautiful flowers and floral tributes. A large floral cross, almost the length of the casket, was the remembrance of the clerical staff of the Tidewater Power Company, and another very handsome design was sent by the conductors and motormen of the company. Many others were sent by individual friends here and elsewhere.

The honorary pallbearers were Messrs. A. B. Skelding, James F. Post, Harry Woollcott, Dr. W. C. Galloway, Dr. E. S. Bulluck and Captain Thomas H. Harllee, of Florence, S. C., a close personal friend of Capt. Corbett. The active pallbearers were Messrs. James H. Taylor, Jr., N. E. Bunting, H. M. Bremer, Thomas C. Craft, L. L. Boon and D. W. Chadwick.

MR. D. D. COLLINS DEAD

Father of Mrs. J. L. Croom and Mrs. A. J. Fischer Died Yesterday

Relatives in the city received the sad news last evening of the death of Mr. D. D. Collins, of Vaughn, N. C., a prominent farmer of that section, which occurred at his home yesterday afternoon at 3:25 o'clock. The deceased was 74 years of age and had been in failing health for the past two years.

Mr. Collins is survived by his second wife and six children, three daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. J. L. Croom and Mrs. A. J. Fischer, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Sudie Dixon, of Norfolk, Va., and the son are Messrs. B. R. Collins, of Rocky Mount; C. H. Collins, of Verona, N. C.; and J. L. Collins, of Newbern, all of whom will have the sympathy of many friends.

Mrs. J. L. Croom and Mrs. A. J. Fischer left last evening on the 6:45 train to attend the funeral of their father, which will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

TO PUT ON MAMMOTH SALE IN MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING.

U. S. Woolen Mills Company Inaugurates Season of Bargains.

Mr. Adolph Wohlmuth, secretary of the U. S. Woolen Mills Company, of Baltimore and Wilmington, is in the city arranging for one of the biggest sales that this large clothing concern has ever inaugurated.

A full page advertisement in today's Star gives full particulars of this great sale, and the doors will be thrown open tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. The United States Company owns and operates a chain of stores in the principal cities of the South, and are thus enabled to buy materials in very large quantities, and make them up in their mammoth workshops at Baltimore and elsewhere. They are thus enabled to produce the maximum of quality at a very low price, and, those interested will do well to read their large advertisement in today's paper.

We have a great selection of handkerchiefs for the holiday trade. C. H. Fore & Co. (advertisement.)

THANKSGIVING OBSERVANCE

Day of General Quiet Prevailed—Services in All the Churches—Men Afield,—Football, Etc.

With appropriate services in practically all the churches, a general recession from business and a more or less exodus of people to the country and the fields and forest around Wilmington and in adjoining counties, there was the usual observance of Thanksgiving Day here yesterday.

More ideal weather had not been vouchsafed in a generation. Fair and pleasant, with just a sufficient tang to the atmosphere to make the enjoyment of the festive board complete, hardly anything could be wished for, no matter how this or that one chose to spend the day. Practically all stores, offices and public buildings were closed for the day and in many respects the day from outward appearances resembled an early fall Sabbath in Wilmington. Nearly all trains during the forenoon were crowded with sportsmen anxious for a day in the fields, while trains of the night before had carried many to Richmond and Norfolk where the principal gridiron events of the day were scheduled, resulting in the disappointment to Carolinians as is graphically told on the sporting page today. The Tidewater Power Co., for the better accommodation of those who desired to spend the day outside the city, operated its suburban cars on a half-hour schedule in the afternoon and the travel to the beach and sounds was almost equal to mid-summer during rush hours.

The services in the churches were, of course, with special reference to Thanksgiving and in nearly all of them collections were received for the various orphanages of the several denominations. At St. James', the rector, Dr. Milton, spoke on "The Essential Elements of a True Thanksgiving", the offering there being for the Thompson Orphanage in Charlotte. Donations of food and fruit were distributed in the city immediately after the service by the Brotherhood of Saint Andrew. At St. Paul's and St. Matthew's Lutheran churches, there were special services and offerings for the orphanage at Salem, Va. At St. Paul's there was a reception to the congregation by the Sunday School at 8 o'clock in the evening.

In all the Presbyterian churches offerings were received for the Presbyterian Orphanage at Barium Springs, near Charlotte, and special sermons were preached by the pastors, those at the First church and St. Andrew's being in the morning and that at Immanuel by Rev. J. S. Crowley at night. The service at Winter Park Presbyterian church was at 11 A. M. with sermon by the pastor, Rev. Andrew J. Howell.

In the county there were Thanksgiving services by Rev. O. N. Marshall at Seagate Baptist church in the morning and at Masonboro church at 7:30 in the evening.

The Women's Missionary Society of Grace church held a Thanksgiving and prayer service at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at which an offering was taken for the Vashti Home for Friendless Girls at Thomasville, Ga. At Southside Baptist church parsonage the young people of the congregation gave a doll party for the benefit of the building fund.

At the Y. W. C. A., two events of special interest were tramps by the junior members of the Association to the country, leaving the headquarters on Fourth street at 3 P. M., one party led by Miss Sue Walker and the other by Miss Troutt, the secretary. From 8 to 11 o'clock yesterday evening there was a social session for senior members, each of whom had the privilege of bringing a friend. There were games, a delightful musical programme as previously published and the serving of dainty refreshments during the evening.

As usual, the annual golf events of the Cape Fear Country Club claimed a large share of attention as is told elsewhere in today's paper. There was also great interest in the two big Southern football games at Richmond and at Norfolk. Bulletin boards of the newspapers were scanned eagerly for the returns from each quarter.

All in all, Wilmington had a very quiet and a very appropriate observance of the day in more ways than one.

Inmates Are Remembered.

Thanksgiving Day was brightened for the inmates of the county home by the Yoke Fellows' Band of the Y. M. C. A. and a number of ladies, who called yesterday morning. The Yoke Fellows distributed a quantity of fruit and other dainties, and the ladies accompanying the band gave an enjoyable protheir services in making the occasion gramme of recitations, songs, etc. The authorities at the home desire to thank the Yoke Fellows and the ladies for a brighter one to the inmates of the home.

IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat Less Meat and Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Out Kidneys—Drink Plenty Water.

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumbs of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

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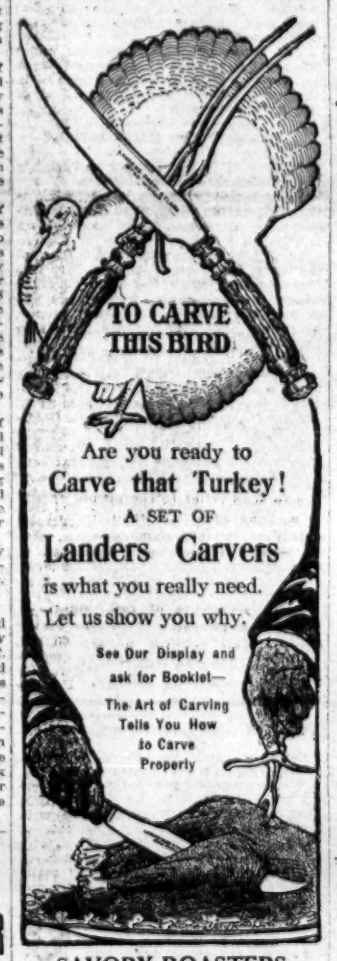
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The ladies of the various circles of the King's Daughters and Sons called at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday and distributed fruits to the patients.

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Miss Irene King and Miss Virginia Kendall and brother, Mr. H. M. Kendall, were among those who spent yesterday in Richmond, attending the Carolina-Virginia football game.

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The furnishings for the Giles Memorial room at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, which is being furnished by Miss Lucile Murchison, are now arriving and being installed, and the room will be ready for use within a few days.

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The regular weekly meeting of Dr. A. D. McClure's Bible class will be held at the Y. W. C. A. this morning at 11 o'clock. There has already been a large enrollment and it is hoped that others will join today as the lectures on the Bible by Dr. McClure are well worth hearing.

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Elder O. T. Mattox, recently called as pastor of the Fourth Street Christian Advent church, arrived yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Mattox, and will begin his pastorate Sunday. Mr. Mattox, who was formerly pastor of the Fourth street church, resigning to go to Jacksonville, Fla., returns to Wilmington from Lenoir, to which point he removed from Jacksonville. For the present Elder and Mrs. Mattox are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McClammy, who have just moved into their handsome new residence at Front and Church streets.

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FRIENDS ENTERTAINED AT DINNER AT STUART HOUSE.

Miss Kate Stuart charmingly entertained a few friends at a Thanksgiving dinner party at the Stuart House at Southport yesterday. Miss Stuart has been unwell for the past several weeks and the well-known Stuart house has been closed during this time, and is still closed, although the proprietress had sufficiently recovered to be able to preside as hostess at the pleasant event yesterday, which fact, one guest remarked, made the occasion a worthy one for returning thanks.

The dining room was artistically decorated in a color scheme of green and white, and the table groaned under a feast of the good things for which Brunswick county is noted for producing, and the Stuart house for preparing in the most appetizing fashion.

Miss Stuart's guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Haighth, of Southport; Mrs. Juliet Darracott, of Boston, Mass.; Miss May Dean, of Asheville, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. J. Blanding Haman and Mr. John Harper, Jr., of Wilmington.

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COMPLIMENTARY TO MISS SARAH KORNEGAY.

Mt. Olive, N. C., Nov. 26.—Second on the list of most delightful social events given complimentary to Miss Sarah Kornegay, in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. Thomas Noble McGhee, of Wilmington, to be solemnized next month, was the entertainment by Mrs. Rodney Knowles, at her home on North Center street, of the Merry Wives' Embroidery Club.

For an hour the guests stitched away on dainty bits of work, needles gliding in and out, while scissors snapped; nor did conversation lag for a moment.

Quite unexpectedly, Mrs. C. W. Oliver entered, bearing a lovely white basket, all draped and wreathed in billowy bows and loops of white tulle, piled high with sheer handkerchiefs, while the dainty bits of lace and linen hung in profusion from the long curved handle. In presenting it to the bride-to-be, Mrs. Oliver quoted an original poem.

Assisted by Miss Mabel Kornegay, sister of the future bride, the hostess served very delightful refreshments, and as favors gave red carnations.

The home was very attractively decorated in pot plants and gay autumn leaves, while crimson carnations lent their stately beauty to the scene. Miss Katherine Knowles added pleasure to the occasion by her music.

Miss Sarah B. Kornegay is one of the most popular young society ladies here, and the approaching event is one of unusual interest, not only here, but among her wide circle of friends throughout the State.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL RECEPTION AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

A most enjoyable reception was given last evening by the Sunday school of St. Paul's Lutheran church to the members of the congregation and friends. The pleasant event was attended by more than 500.

The programme carried out was as follows:

Opening Hymn — Lutheran Thanksgiving Hymn.

Prayer by the pastor, Rev. F. B. Clausen.

Piano Duet—Mrs. Alberts and Mrs. Schulken.

Address of Welcome—Mr. C. W. Polvogt, superintendent of the Sunday school.

Violin Solo—Mr. Schubert.

Rectation—Miss Maude Bissinger.

Piano Solo—Mrs. Alberts.

Vocal Sextette—Mesdames J. H. Rehder, J. T. Runge, C. G. Coster, H. F. Otten, Miss Lucile Polvogt and Miss Augusta Gieschen.

Address—Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church.

Address—Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's.

Following the entertainment, the reception committee invited the members of the congregation and their visitors to remain and inspect the new Sunday school building.

Delightful refreshments were served in the large auditorium upstairs.

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Y. W. C. A. SOCIAL LAST NIGHT DELIGHTFUL EVENT.

One of the most delightful events of Thanksgiving day in Wilmington was the entertainment at the Y. W. C. A. last evening from 8 to 11 o'clock by the members of the association in honor of their friends. The affair was largely attended and each and everyone was made to feel at home. A musical programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental numbers by some of the most talented Wilmington musicians added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The association building was decorated most attractively with autumn leaves and flowers, this feature having been in charge of Mrs. Jas. H. Taylor, Mrs. E. H. Munson and Mrs. L. B. Sasser. Two rooms were reserved for games and many of those present spent the evening most pleasantly playing rook and parcheesi. The rooms were in charge of Mrs. Jas. H. Taylor and Mrs. R. C. Humphrey.

Refreshing fruit punch, cake and mints were served by Mrs. Robt. B. Slocum and Miss Wilhelmina Harlowe, assisted by Misses Nesfield Holmes and Sue Hardin.

The first number on the musical programme was a selection by a quartette composed of Mrs. W. B. Muse, Miss Lila Keith, Mr. W. B. Muse and Mr. Edward Schulken, which was followed by a piano solo by Miss Christine Schulken. Miss Post sang a solo and Prof. Henri Georges played a violin solo. A violin solo by the young son of Mrs. N. S. Kares was one of the most enjoyable features of the evening. Miss Post and Mr. Spavin gave a piano duet and Miss Sallie Oldham a reading. Prof. Geo. L. Johnson was accompanist on the piano for the violin solos and also for the vocal selections. All of those on the programme were compelled to respond to encores by the audience.

Miss Troutt, the general secretary, and Mrs. Lowe, the house secretary, assisted greately in making the evening one of unusual pleasure to the large number who attended.

The junior members of the association had a tramp to the country yesterday afternoon that proved to be a delightful affair. There were 30 or more in the party which left the association building at 3 o'clock. These were divided into two divisions, the first being in charge of Misses Sue and Elizabeth Hall and the second was led by Miss Wilhelmina Harlowe and Miss Troutt. At the end of the journey, which was down the Newbern road, the party cooked a meal over a camp fire, returning to the city in the late afternoon.

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WEDDING AT SOUTHPORT: PRETTY RECEPTION HERE

Following a very pleasant surprise wedding yesterday noon at Southport, in which Miss Charlotte Adkins, the attractive young daughter of Captain and Mrs. E. H. Adkins, became the bride of Mr. R. C. Ruark, a popular young business man of Wilmington, the bride and groom were entertained with a number of their friends last evening from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock, at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. H. K. Ruark, No. 807 Orange street, this city, at a pretty reception, at which the young people were the recipients of the happiest felicitations of a host of their Wilmington friends.

The wedding was solemnized in the Methodist church at Southport yesterday, noon, the Rev. R. L. Carraway, pastor of Town Creek M. E. church, officiating in the presence of only a few intimate friends of the young couple, who alone were taken into their confidence as to the time of the happy event in their lives. Miss Ellan Winslow delightfully rendered the wedding marches, and the bride was accompanied as maid of honor by Miss Lottie Mae Newton, of Southport, while the groom had as his best man, his brother, Mr. Dan Ruark, of Wilmington. Immediately after the ceremony, the young people came to Wilmington on the steamer, accompanied by a party of friends who were guests of honor at the reception last evening. These included Miss Ellan Wilson, Miss Mary Dosher, Miss Lottie Mae Newton, Miss Annie St. George and Messrs. Howard Cool, Victor Rice, Ed. Newton, Junius Davis and Dan Ruark.

For the reception last evening the attractive home of the groom's parents was attractively decorated, according to a color scheme of green and red, and the scene presented was a pretty and most animated one. The bride was pretty in a becoming gown of white charmeuse with pearl trimmings, her only ornament being a pearl lavalier with blue diamond, a gift of the groom. The hostess, Mrs. Ruark, mother of the groom, wore black charmeuse.

Those in the receiving line included Misses Elizabeth and Florence Reiger, Miss Catherine Mintz and Miss Beulah Brock. Miss Mannie Buck gracefully presided at the punch bowl, assisted by Mrs. H. M. Pyle and Mrs. D. Russell Ruark. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruark left on one of the early morning trains for a wedding trip, which will include points in Western Carolina, including Asheville. The bride has been a teacher in the Southport graded schools for several terms and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of acquaintances. A host of Wilmington friends will cordially welcome her to Wilmington as the attractive bride of Mr. Ruark, who for a number of years has been employed in a confidential capacity with Mr. John W. Brooks, the wholesale grocer.

ALTERCATION BETWEEN HUNTERS.

Four Young White Men Arrested for Assault in Brunswick County.

Late yesterday afternoon, between 5 and 6 o'clock, police headquarters was asked to send officers forthwith to the Market street ferry for the arrest of four young white men of the city, Will and A. E. Cumber and Charles Green and Robert Dew, members of a hunting party over in Brunswick county, on the causeway, who were alleged to have set upon Messrs. Z. G. Thompson, C. J. Reaves and E. S. Williamson, members of another hunting party, with whom they came in contact near the Brunswick river bridge. The three last named stated that the young men named were drinking and had fired over their heads, and that one of them had struck Mr. Thompson over the shoulder with the butt of a gun, breaking the weapon, and maltreating them in other respects as they were getting in their buggy and hastening to town to avoid further trouble.

Messrs. Thompson, Reaves and Williamson reached the ferry first and after warrants had been sworn out, charging the young men with an assault with a deadly weapon, Officers Gilbert Bullard, A. E. Munn, T. M. Hall and Frank George were dispatched to the ferry to arrest the men when they came across. This the officers did, and the party of four was locked up at the police station for a hearing before the Recorder this morning.

SPLENDID MISSION RALLY.

Enjoyable Event at Delgado Baptist Church Last Evening.

A largely attended mission rally was held at the Delgado Baptist church last evening, when an interesting programme of recitations and other features was carried out. Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, made an interesting and impressive address.

Recitations were contributed by Misses Florence Tucker, Kate Warren, Alma Hester, Rose Holomon, and Sallie Oldham. Another entertaining feature was a portrayal of the flags of different nations, entitled, "The Wings of Make Believe," in which the following young ladies took part: Misses Maude Mintz, Beatrice Russ, Mary Hewett, Maggie Hester, Elberta Johnson, Violet Mayhan, Ruth Allen, Adel Davis and Eleanor Skipper.

The programme was in charge of Mrs. Mary Scott.

Our holiday line of handkerchiefs are now ready for your inspection. C. H. Fore & Co. (advertisement)

MERRIMAN COVER COMPANY

Corporation to Market New and Important Device by Wilmington Man Organized Here.

Organization of the "Merriman Cover Company," recently chartered by the Secretary of State with $500,000 capital authorized and half that sum paid in, for the purpose of developing and placing on the market a new and important device invented by Mr. L. J. Merriman, of this city, for protecting growing truck and other crops, was effected in the office of the company in the Maffitt building this city, last evening.

At the meeting were present a number of the leading stockholders from this city and elsewhere and the prospects for the company as an aid to highly intensified truck growing was gone into at length. Officers and directors elected were as follows:

President—Mr. William E. Springer, of Wilmington.

First Vice President—Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, of Wilmington.

Second Vice President—Mr. J. A. Westbrook, of Mount Olive.

Third Vice President—Mr. R. E. L. Brown, of Chadbourn.

General Manager—Mr. L. J. Merriman, of Wilmington.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. Theodore G. Emple, of Wilmington.

Board of Directors—Messrs. J. A. Westbrook, R. E. L. Brown, Wm. E. Springer, Will Rehder, H. J. Faison, Theodore G. Emple, L. J. Merriman, T. P. Lovering, J. P. Herring, Z. W. Whitehead, W. L. DeRosset, H. A. Rau, DuBruts English, Owen Martindale, G. W. Westbrook, E. H. Freeman, H. B. Bloodworth, J. L. Casteen and C. F. Seltter.

The charter of the company as recently issued was accepted and it was decided to open headquarters in Wilmington and to begin at once the manufacture of covers and frames for the protection of the growing crops, along the lines as have previously been set out as distinctive advantages of this device. After the organization Messrs. Westbrook, of Mount Olive; Brown, of Chadbourn, and Faison, of Faison, three of the leading truck growers in this Wilmington section made talks outlying the many advantages of the Merriman invention and predicted that their general use would result in a revolution of the growing of early vegetables and fruits. These men are practical and much interest attached to their judgment of the new device. Heretofore strawing has been the measure of protection for strawberries, while various devices have been resorted to in addition to canvas covers for other crops, but these were shown to be obsolete in the light of the improved method suggested and worked out by Mr. Merriman, who has been working on the invention for several years.

The company begins business under the most favorable auspices and hopes to develop here a large business in the manufacture and distribution of the Merriman covers.

MR. JACOB O. CARR DEAD.

Treasurer of Duplin County and Highly Esteemed Citizen There.

Many Wilmington friends have learned with sorrow of the death of Mr. Jacob O. Carr, one of the best known and most beloved citizens of Duplin county, which occurred on Tuesday at his home at Kenansville. Mr. Carr was just entering upon his third term as county treasurer, and had served one or more terms as county commissioner, being an able and zealous official in both positions.

He was a native of Rockfish township, near Wallace, had been for many years a consistent member of the Rockfish Presbyterian church and was noted for his rugged honesty and high Christian character. He was about 70 years of age at the time of his death and is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters, among them being Messrs. Snyder and W. M. Carr, prominent business men of Wallace, and Rev. E. B. Carr, pastor of a very successful group of Presbyterian churches, centering at Atkinson, N. C. Members of the bereaved family have the sincerest sympathy of a host of friends in their sorrow.

Mr. Carr was a brave Confederate soldier and was for years one of the stsunchest Democrats of his county. The funeral was conducted Wednesday and the interment was in the family burying ground at Rockfish Presbyterian church.

POOR REMEMBERED YESTERDAY.

Salvation Army Distributed Thanksgiving Baskets, Clothing, Etc.

The poor of the city were remembered yesterday by the Salvation Army, that organization, in accordance with its custom, distributing baskets of food, articles of clothing, shoes, etc., to the needy, thus making the occasion truly one for thanksgiving for many who otherwise would go in want.

Over 50 baskets of food were distributed, and also many articles of clothing.

A dinner to the homeless was served in the Salvation Army hall.

Adjutant Mataxas, commanding the local post of the Salvation Army, wishes to thank the public-spirited citizens of Wilmington for their generosity, which made it possible for the Army to render practical aid to the unfortunate ones.

DEATH OF MRS. J. C. MOORE.

Died Yesterday Afternoon at Red Cross Sanitarium.

Friends will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. J. C. Moore, which occurred yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Red Cross Sanitarium, following an illness of some months. The deceased was 20 years of age, and is survived by her husband and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richards, of Richards, N. C.

The remains will be carried to Richards this morning on the 8:45 train, and the funeral and interment will take place there today.

"A SPIRIT OF FAITH."

Thanksgiving Sentiment in Raleigh Paper by Wilmingtonian.

In a symposium of Thanksgiving sentiments published in yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer, in which a number of prominent North Carolinians give the reasons for which we should be thankful on this recurrent holiday, the following is from the pen of Mr. J. A. Taylor, of this city:

"Thankful for that spirit of faith which does not seek to measure Divine Wisdom by the human understanding, and which refuses to become skeptical because the European cataclysm passes human comprehension.

"J. A. TAYLOR.

"Wilmington, N. C."

THEATRICAL

Every day is a big one at the charming, popular Grand, but yesterday was just bigger than ever. Great holiday crowds assembled at this peerless movie theatre and they were given a treat, too, as the Grand had prepared a royal feast for them and they enjoyed every minute of the stay. However, it must be remembered that the Grand offers films that are brilliantly different from any others screened in Wilmington. It offers the output of the General Film Company, which means the greatest in the world, and so recognized by authorities.

Today's show is going to be another rare treat. So don't fail to drop around to the Grand either this afternoon or tonight. Besides seeing a big show you will enjoy solid comfort. Today's swell show will be gloriously led by a special two-reeler of course. It will be Kalem's sensational success, "The False Guardian," and it is something extra swell. There are also two of the very merriest of all films on the programme. One is Edison's "Two's Company," which tells of the troubles of poor Charley as he tries to find time to propose to charming Marion. In those two roles will be seen these popular Thespians, William Wadsworth and Bliss Milford. The other will be Selig's "Jimmie Hayes and Muriel" and the laughter starts when Jimmie joins the Texas Rangers and introduces a horned toad. It is comedy of the purest type, yet with a thrilling touch of the dramatic in it. Don't fail to glimpse it.

Monday the Victoria will open in place of the Grand, which will have to close for a brief period in order to complete extensive improvements to be made there.

Another Five-Reeler at Bijou.

'Tis just simply one big "scoop" right after another at the popular photoplay house these days—one big superb, something-that's-different offering right on top of another for the thousands of patrons of this favorite joy spot.

Today's bill is another one of those famous penny-a-reel shows, and it's headed by one of the biggest features of the week—now that "The Trey O' Hearts" is no more.

"Yellow Streak" is the title of today's headliner, and it is a thrilling and exciting drama of the prize ring in two full reels. In seeing this great Universal-Eclair picture you will have the pleasure of seeing one of the best prize fight stories acted in some time. In fact, it is a worthy successor, both in its vivid action and gripping climaxes, to that sensational drama "Kid Regan's Hands," which also appeared at the Bijou some weeks ago. Seen in the leading roles are such stars as Richard Garrick, Irma Earle and Ernest Evers, and it will be one of the most enjoyable dramas you have witnessed in some time.

Then there's another big dramatic treat on today's bill, "Sierra Jim's Reformation" is a brand new Mutual release, and is a Western drama of strong and gripping theme. Seen in the leading roles are Raoul Walsh, Wallace Reid, Gertrude McLynn and Fred Burns, with two real Indians also playing leading roles.

A rousing big Sterling comedy comes next, "An Ill Wind", and features Karl Formes and Miss Bobbie Gould with the irresistible Max Asher. Then there's a rousing Keystone comedy, "The New Janitor" which completes the five-reel offering—one of the biggest of the week.

St. Louis, Nov. 26.—With a football season's record of 544 points scored and none scored against, coaches of the Rolla School of Mines which defeated St. Louis University, 63 to 0, here today claim a new national record in shutouts in college football. Rolla school is a part of the University of Missouri.

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Hours Saved
Don't spend hours in making mincemeat this Fall — with the uncertainty of its turning out well. Get it from your grocer in cartons, glass jars or pails, but be sure it is Armour's Veribest Mincemeat.
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CANVASSING VOTE TO BEGIN THIS MORNING

State Board in Raleigh and Ready for Business.

Western Carolina Dried Fruit, Abundant and Cheap, Suggested as Desirable Food to be Sent to Suffering Belgians.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 26.—The State Board of Elections this morning designated Col. Wilson G. Lamb, chairman; J. B. Underwood, Fayetteville; J. W. Pass, Yadkinville, and Clarence Call, North Wilkesboro, with Governor Craig ex-officio, as members of the State Board of Canvassers to canvass and declare the result of the recent general election in this State, the actual work of canvassing the vote to begin at 13 o'clock Friday morning. They selected Col. Leo D. Heartt and Col. Alex J. Feild as the clerks.

The board received notice of a contest from the 18th judicial district in which F. V. Blythe, Republican, contests the election of Michael Schenck, Democrat, as solicitor. The board agreed to open the case at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. On the face of the returns, Schenck is elected by 43 votes. Blythe claims that there was an error in the returns from Jacks township, Yancey county, where the returns show 188 votes for Schenck and 95 for Blythe, and Blythe insists that the Schenck vote was really 138, a difference of 50 votes, that would give Blythe the election.

Dried Fruit for Belgians.

Clarence Call, of North Wilkesboro, here as a member of the State board of elections, says that the mountains and other fruit growing sections of the State are full of dried fruit and that the suggestion is made, and a most timely one he considers it, that in sending provisions to the homeless and starving Belgians it would be an excellent idea for this fruit to be purchased and sent. He says it can be bought from the farmers and dealers in 25-pound sacks or packages and that it can be readily handled and shipped and the purchase of a few car loads of this fruit would come as a great boon to the growers who are now finding slow sale for this fruit. Mr. Call is very much in hopes that a great quantity of this fruit can be turned into this channel, providing a most excellent food easily preserved for the Belgians and helping a market that is now lagging much to the hurt of the apple and other fruit growers of Western Carolina.

NEARLY $500 PROFIT ON NINE ACRES CORN.

Duplin Tenant Produces 128 Bushels at Eleven Cents.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., Nov. 26.—Producing 128 bushels of corn to the acre at a cost of a trifle more than 11 cents is an achievement that speaks well both for the land that produces it, and for the energy of the farmer who does it, but this is exactly what a tenant has done on the farm of E. J. Hill near here.

Early last spring, corn planting time, this man planted four acres in corn and worked it faithfully all through the long dry spell that prevailed during the early summer, and spending $25 per acre for fertilizer, has produced 515 bushels of corn, on the four acres, or 128 bushels and three pecks to the acre.

He also has a second piece of land on which he has done well. The second plot contains five acres, and was first planted, or rather attempted, in tobacco plants, but failing because the weather was so unseasonable, he planted corn the 27th and 28th of June, and after spending $11 per acre produced 70 bushels to the acre at a cost of a little more than 15 cents a bushel.

Both pieces of land brought forth 865 bushels and if this was sold at the market price would bring $648.75, or a clear profit of $493.75.

Pictures have been taken of this remarkable yield of corn, and are being distributed throughout the country.

Duplin and other counties of Eastern North Carolina have performed an important part in the Thanksgiving dinners of the thousands of people in the Northern and Eastern cities this year, for an immense number of turkeys, and a large amount of holly has been shipped from this section of the State to load and beautify the tables of the people who are not so fortunate as to live where these things grow in such profusion. The holly, of course, is not used so much at the Thanksgiving, as at the Christmas time, but a large amount has already been shipped, and the indications are that the shipments this season will be far in excess of what it has been in recent years. The turkey shipments have been very large and good prices have been received for them.

MR. N. M. RAND DEAD.

Prominent Raleigh Merchant Succumbs to Acute Indigestion.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 26.—N. M. Rand, a prominent merchant, member of the firm of Crowder & Rand, wholesale and retail dealers in groceries and farm supplies, died this afternoon of acute indigestion. He was 62 years old, and had been in the mercantile business with T. B. Crowder 27 years.

He leaves a wife and five children. The funeral will be held from the residence tomorrow afternoon, by Rev. J. C. Wooten, of Edenton Street Methodist church.

COLORED METHODISTS HEAR ADDRESSES.

Western North Carolina Conference at Roxboro This Week.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Roxboro, N. C., Nov. 26.—That the conferences of the African Methodist Episcopal church is co-operating with the better element of the white race for the betterment of the human family is strikingly being evidenced at the 22nd annual session of the Western North Carolina Conference of the A. M. E. church in session here. The wholesome and inspiring messages brought to the representative body of negroes by Mayor M. C. Winstead and Attorney S. G. Winstead, of this city, and the able response to the addresses by Dr. J. H. Jackson, presiding elder of the Raleigh district, showing that the ministers of this conference are working for the betterment of all conditions for the uplift of mankind, have had a decided effect upon this community and will mean much in the solving of the race problem.

Bishop L. J. Coppin, D. D., who is presiding, paid a tribute to the better element of white people of this State for their stand for righteousness and appealed to them to help better the deplorable railroad conditions that are now affecting negroes in North Carolina. He said that on most of the railroads that the conditions on the coaches for his people are deplorable and that men and women often have to use the same toilets on the trains.

An inspiring Thanksgiving sermon was preached today by Rev. C. W. Robinson, of Morganton, and the missionary sermon was preached tonight by Rev. J. R. Barnum, of Greensboro.

Rev. A. L. Price, pastor of Mt. Olive A. M. E. church, Wilmington, made a short but interesting address. The reports of the various districts are being made and are not falling behind last year's reports. G. F. K.

SAMUEL C. SUGG IS DEAD.

One of Greene County's Most Prominent Citizens.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 26.—A funeral train was run from this city this afternoon to Snow Hill, where in a little family graveyard the remains of Samuel C. Sugg, who died at his home there night before last of Bright's disease, were laid to rest. Hundreds attended the service and interment. Sam C. Sugg was possibly Greene county's most prominent citizen. He was of an old family with traditions and characteristics which he faithfully maintained. No man in the section had been more progressive in civic and business matters, and he was a leader in both phases in his community's life.

Five years of his career were spent here, and in Kinston he took the same active part in affairs that he did in Greene county all of his life. Mr. Sugg was a large landowner and a successful farmer. His estate is valued at from $150,000 to $175,000. Mrs. Sugg, to whom he was married nearly half a century, survives him, as well as the following children: Mesdames R. D. Britt, George Overby, Frank Moseley and Eva Warters, all of Snow Hill, and Mrs. P. S. B. Harper and Leon Sugg, both of Kinston. Brothers and sisters are Joseph Sugg, of Greene county; Richard Sugg, of Lonoke, Ark.; and Mrs. Aquilla Sugg, of Greene county. Mr. Sugg was 68 years of age.

REV. G. L. MERRILL, OF MAYSVILLE SUPERINTENDENT.

Of Kennedy Memorial Orphans' Home Near Kinston.

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 26.—Rev. G. L. Merrill, of Maysville, N. C., is the new superintendent of the Kennedy Memorial Home, the recently-opened eastern branch of Thomasville Baptist orphanage, five miles from here. Rev. Mr. Merrill will be subordinate to Superintendent M. L. Kesler, of the main institution. The new orphanage has 51 inmates, but is expected in a few years to grow to importance similar to the parent orphanage, which now shelters 464. The Kennedy home has recently been connected with the city by telephone, telegraph and mail route, but its freight station is in the town of Falling Creek, nearby. Herman Sutton, has been appointed foreman of the farm. Other members of the administrative force recently appointed by the trustees are Mrs. Mary Cooke, of Louisburg, and Miss Louise Wallace, formerly of this city, who will be in charge of the two dormitories.

"DEFENSE OF REALM" BILL IS AMENDED

To Reduce the Number of Offenses Punishable by Court Martial.

London, Nov. 26. — Defense of the Realm bill has been amended to reduce the offenses punishable by court martial. Under the amendment courts martial are authorized to "prevent the spread of false reports or reports likely to cause disaffection to His Majesty, or to interfere with the success of His Majesty's forces on land or sea, or to prejudice His Majesty's relations with foreign powers."

Under the bill in its original form the government was able to suppress all criticisms of its members in the press or on the platform.

MARRIED IN GOLDSBORO.

Miss Kennie McCullen Bride of Mr. Perry O'Berrie, of Mt. Olive.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mt. Olive, N. C., Nov. 26.—Mr. Perry O'Berrie and Miss Kennie McCullen were quietly united in marriage in Goldsboro last night and left immediately for Florida and other points in the South to spend their honeymoon.

Mr. O'Berrie is a well-to-do young farmer residing near here. His bride is a daughter of Mr. L. C. McCullen, a leading groceryman here. She is beautiful, of a most charming disposition and enjoys the esteem of a wide circle of friends.

On their return from the bridal trip they will reside at Mr. O'Berrie's country home.

Call on us for automobile robes. C. H. Fore & Co. (advertisement.)

RUIN OF NIEUPORT, NEAR WHERE BATTLE HAS LATELY BEEN RAGING

This photograph shows about what was left of Nieuport after the Allies and the Germans finished with it. It was taken while the shells were still falling in the town. The town had been a prosperous and quiet little place in the north of Belgium, and had not been touched by the war until the Germans began their movement toward Ostend and Calais, and that part of Belgium became the center of the battle of the war in the west of Europe. This photograph shows the damage done to the place by a few of the shells of the artillery. The two persons shown in the picture are Red Cross workers looking for dead and wounded in the ruins.

Important To Farmers!

The Corn and Agricultural Show Exhibits from nine counties will be the finest specimens of farm products raised throughout this large territory. It should be especially interesting to all farmers who are not doing as well as those who make the exhibits.

Come to Wilmington November 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th.

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Take home a moisture-proof 50c drum of 11 twists

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 26.—Cotton, spot, in fair demand; prices, firm; American middling fair, 5.48; good middling, 4.80; middling, 4.48; low middling, 3.92; good ordinary, 3.23; ordinary, 2.79.

Sales, 8,000 bales, including 6,500 American and 800 for speculation and export.

Receipts, 12,240 bales, including 11,793 American.

Futures closed quiet. May and June, 4.18; July and August, 4.24½; October and November, 4.34; November and December, —; January and February, 4.40..

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE CAPITAL OF BRUNSWICK

Southport Fish Scrap and Oil Company Doing Business—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving is being more generally observed than in previous years, most of the stores being closed for the day. Hunters are out trying their skill. There have been fewer turkeys on the local market than usual.

The whistle of the plant of the Southport Fish Scrap and Oil company can be plainly heard here, and its sounding this week gives notice that the company is ready for business. This plant has cost about $20,000 and is complete in its appointments for the handling of fish of every description. The company has more than a dozen boats of its own, that will bring in the fish.

The weather of this week has been the record for low temperatures for November. The cold has caused a cessation in the fishing for schrimp and menhaden. Fishermen look for a return of these, when the weather again turns warm, as it is already doing.

What may be termed the by-product of the "big shrimp" which were caught off this coast, brought to this place, "picked" and shipped to Northern markets, has been taken up by some of the farmers near here, and used for compost, for fertilizer purposes. The part of shrimp taken is the head, nearly a third part. This until recently was swept out of the fish houses, and carried away by the tide, but now the farmers are taking it.

Despite the dull season, local real estate agents say there are no houses in their hands for rent. One agent admits having one house. There is some building, and almost the usual amount of repair work going on.

The United States suction dredge Cape Fear that has been away at Morehead City for several months past, will return next week, resuming operations on the Cape Fear, beginning on December 1.

From Bolivia, on the W. B. & S. railroad, there has been shipped here a good many carloads of what are known as pine strips, being remnants from the saw mill cuttings at the mill at that place. These are comparatively cheap, freight and loading and hauling here being the items of cost. Many house holders have stocked up with these strips for fuel, claiming them to be the cheapest kind of firewood.

Two from here are in attendance at Charlotte this week, Mrs. Leah Jones Stevens, at the sessions of the North Carolina Primary Teachers' Association, of which she was the organizer, and first president, some ten years ago; and M. C. Guthrie, county superintendent of education, who is attending the sessions of the State superintendents.

WAYNE'S NEW COURT HOUSE TO BE FORMALLY OPENED

Interesting Ceremony to Tak ePlace at Goldsboro Monday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 25.—On Monday next, November 30, beginning in the morning, the formal exercises incident to the opening of Wayne county's magnificent new court house, one of the handsomest structures of its kind in the whole country, will take place in this city, on which occasion everybody in Wayne county is invited to be here to celebrate.

In order that the interest of the people in attendance may not lag or the exercises become tiresome, all speakers are limited to five minutes, except, of course, Judge Daniels, whose address is looked forward to as a rare treat of unusual interest and educational value.

Following are the features of the programme:

Presentation of court house to board of county commissioners—Hon. Earle A. Humphrey, solicitor of county court, and attorney to the board.

Acceptance of court house—I. F. Ormond, chairman of the board of county commissioners.

Presentation of State flag—Col. Jos. E. Robinson, editor of The Argus.

Acceptance of flag—S. F. Teague, of the local bar.

Presentation of Bible from David Williams chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, Mrs. Charles F. Taylor, regent.

Acceptance of Bible—Rev. J. W. Gardner.

Presentation of United States flag from Junior Order United American Mechanics—Colonel A. C. Davis, of local bar.

Acceptance of flag—Hon. D. H. Bland, judge of county court.

Introduction of Hon. F. A. Daniels, presiding judge of court, and speaker of the occasion—Hon. W. S. O'B. Robinson, senior member of the local bar.

Address—Hon. F. A. Daniels.

Brief talks by members of the local bar.

SLOW RAIN IS CHECKING FOREST FIRES IN ARKANSAS.

Which Were Threatening to Assume Serious Proportions.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 26.—Reports from fires in Arkansas tonight indicated that a slow rain which began at noon is checking the forest and field fires which were threatening to assume serious proportions in many sections.

A report from Ashdown in Southwestern Arkansas, says that three farm houses near there ignited by forest fires, burned last night and that farmers were plowing tracts around their farms in an effort to save their fences and buildings.

FIVE CASES IN VIRGINIA

Foot and Mouth Disease Appears Near Waterford, Va.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Five cases of foot and mouth disease in cattle and hogs have been discovered near Waterford, Va., in London county. Officials of the Department of Agriculture, working with Virginia authorities may quarantine the county, but do not believe it will be necessary to quarantine the State. The infected stock came from Hagerstown, Ind.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

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Helsingburg, Sweden—Str.Unita,5,000 tons cotton seed oil cake, shipped from the Seaboard Air Line terminals; vessel by Henry Whyte.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

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Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 2,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger) 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Str. Unita (Nor.) 2,344 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Hope Sherwood, 522 tons, Colbreth, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Schr Marion N. Cobb, 260 tons, Veale (at Fort Caswell), C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Schr. Millie R. Bohannan, 579 tons, Stille, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Nov. 25.

Atlantic Coast Line—570 bales cotton; 33 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—228 bales cotton; 39 barrels tar.

Str. Whitlock—10 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—798 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 72 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 21.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, 30@35c per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 60@65c per bu.

PEAS—White peas, $2.50@2.75 bu.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7 to 8c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head; very dull; no sale.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17c. per lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 23c.; good demand; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45c. Spring, 15@30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, 16 2-3c. per lb.

EGGS—24@27c. per dozen.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEEDS.

(Wholesale Price Quotations of Wednesday by Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Flour—Fancy Patent, $6.25 to $6.50 (car lots).

Corn—Domestic, $1.05; Imported, 93c.

Meal—96 lb. bag, $1.95 to $2.00.

Oats—Mixed, 65c; white, 65c. bu.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $24.00; No. 1, Mixed, $23.00 ton.

Middlings—$20.00 per ton.

D. S. Sides—From 12¼ to 12¾.

Plates—From 11c. to 11½c.

Lard — From 7¾ to 8c., according to quality.

Coffee—From 9 to 12c.

Rice—Broken, 3¾c. to 4c.; Japan, 4¾c to 5c. Fancy Hear, 5 1-4c. to 6c.

Sugar — Granulated basis, 5¾c.; lower grades, usual differences.

Molasses — Black strap, 15c; mixed, 28c; Fancy Porto Rico, 40c.

CAROLINA COTTON MARKETS.

(Daily Quotations, by State Division of Marketing.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 25.—Cotton — Middling—Raleigh, 6¾; Fayetteville, 6¾; Charlotte, 7¼; Norfolk, 7c.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Hogs — Higher. Bulk, 7.40@7.60; light, 7.00@7.60; mixed, 7.25@7.70; heavy, 7.20@7.75; rough, 7.20@7.30; pigs, 5.00@6.75.

Cattle—Steady. Native beef steers, 5.85@10.50; western steers, 5.40@9.00; cows and heifers, 3.60@9.20; calves, 8.25@11.50.

Sheep—Higher. Sheep, 5.50@6.35; yearlings, 6.50@8.00; lambs, 6.75@9.30.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 24.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker; new crop fancy handpicked, 60c; No. 1, machine picked 50c per bu.

Virginia Peanuts—New crop, Jumboes, 65c; fancy hand-picked, 60c; No. 1 machine-picked, 50c per bu.

Spanish Peanuts—New crop, No. 1, small machine picked, 70c; Jumboes, 65c per bu. All receipts light.

IS STILL ON PAROLE.

Corporal Harper, 61st N. C. Infantry, Has Venerable Little Document.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 25.—Corporal Wendell Harper, 61st N. C. infantry, is still on parole, although he has been a good and true citizen of the United States these many years now. Corporal Harper walked into the court house here this morning with the request that one of the officials copy off his parole order, which, although still perfectly legible, is nearly torn in half with frequent handling. It was issued in the spring of '65, just a short while after Mr. Harper was imprisoned in Maryland after fighting for the Confederacy in the Carolinas, Georgia and Virginia during the whole war. Mr. Harper, who is one of Lenoir county's best known elderly citizens, was one of the very first to enlist from the county.

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WHOLESALE

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

November 27, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 43 degrees; at 8 P. M., 54 degrees; maximum, 68 degrees; minimum, 43 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, 3.28 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Wednesday, 4.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair in east, rain in west portion Friday; Saturday, rain and colder.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 27, 1914.

Sun rises . . . . . 6:56 A. M.
Sun sets . . . . . 5:03 P. M.
Day's length . . . . . 10 hrs. 7 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	5:52	6:14	12:24	1:06
Southport	4:05	4:28	10:26	10:36
Masonboro Inl	3:54	4:17	10:06	10:16

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

November 26, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	rain	52	52	.72
Asheville	clear	62	30	.0
Atlanta	cldy	66	46	.0
Augusta	cldy	70	34	.0
Birmingh.	cldy	70	34	.0
Boston	clear	60	44	.0
Charleston	clear	68	42	.0
Charlotte	clear	66	42	.0
Chicago	clear	64	50	.0
Galveston	cldy	66	60	1.14
Jacksonv.	clear	68	42	.0
Memphis	rain	60	44	.0
Mobile	rain	64	50	.02
Montgom'y	cldy	66	36	.0
New Orl.	rain	64	56	.26
New York	clear	60	40	.0
Oklahoma	cldy	54	48	.0
Palestine	rain	54	52	1.60
Pittsburg	clear	60	44	.0
Raleigh	clear	68	44	.0
Savannah	clear	66	42	.0
Shreveport	rain	56	50	.78
St. Louis	pt cldy	66	48	.0
Washing'n	pt cldy	68	38	.0

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 23.—Spanish: Farmers' stock, market firm, 85c per bu.

Virginias—Farmers' stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c per lb; fancy handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; extra prime, 3 to 3¼c per lb.; shelling stock, 2¼ to 2¾c per lb.

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Our altruistic nature impels love for the cooing infant. And at the same time the subject of motherhood is ever before us. To know what to do that will add to the physical comfort of expectant motherhood is a subject that has interested most women of all times. One of the real helpful things is an external abdominal application sold in most drug stores under the name of "Mother's Friend." We have known so many grandmothers, who in their younger days relied upon this remedy, and who recommend it to their own daughters that it certainly must be what its name indicates. They have used it for its direct influence upon the muscles, cords, ligaments and tendons as it aims to afford relief from the strain and pain so often unnecessarily severe during the period of expectancy.

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Get or recommend a bottle of "Mother's Friend" to-day and write for the book.

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Schedule in Effect Nov. 22, 1914.

Lv.Norfolk	8:30a.m.	8:00p.m.
Lv.Petersburg	11:00a.m.	10:40p.m.
Lv.Durham	7:00a.m.	5:30p.m.
Lv.Lynchburg	2:45p.m.	2:30a.m.
Ar.Cincinnati	7:20a.m.	6:20a.m.
Ar.Columbus	6:45a.m.	7:00p.m.
Ar.Chicago	5:00p.m.	8:00a.m.
Ar.St. Louis	6:32p.m.	8:30a.m.

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Cars marked as above will hereafter operate between Sunset Park and the James Walker Memorial Hospital, exchanging transfers with other lines at 4th and Red Cross, Front and Princess and Front and Castle.

SUNSET PARK.

Leave Hospital for Sunset Park at 7:40, 8:00, 8:40, 9:40, 10:40 and 11:40 A. M., 1:00, 1:20, 1:40, 2:00, 2:40, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:20, 6:00, 6:40, 7:20, 8:00, 9:20, 10:20 and 11:00 P. M.

Leave Sunset Park for the Hospital at 8:07, 8:05, 8:25, 9:05, 10:05 and 11:05 A. M., 12:05, 1:25, 1:45, 2:05, 3:25, 3:05, 3:45, 4:25, 5:05, 5:45, 6:25, 7:05, 7:45, 8:25, 9:45, 10:45, 11:25 P. M.

GREENFIELD LAKE.

Leave Hospital for Greenfield Lake every 20 minutes, from 6:40 A. M. until 11:00 P. M.

Leave Greenfield Lake every 20 minutes, from 7:10 A. M. until 11:30 P. M.

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Leave Hospital for Third and Wright every 10 minutes, from 6:40 A. M. until 11:00 P. M.

Leave Third and Wright every 10 minutes, from 7:05 A. M. until 11:05 P. M.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in me, as contained in a deed of trust from Roland A. Wright and wife, Daisy T. Wright, of date November 26th, 1912, and duly recorded in Book 70, at page 52, of the Records of New Hanover County, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, the 30th day of November, A. D. 1914, the following described porperty, to-wit:

"Beginning in the western line of Nutt street at a point 198 feet northwardly from the northern line of Grace street, running thence southwardly along the western line of Nutt street 22.55 feet to the line of a lot now owned by Roland A. Wright; thence westwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Nutt street 22.55 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Grace street 122 feet to the point of beginning, in the western line of Nutt street, the same being a part of Lot No. 3, in block 202, according to the present official plan of the city of Wilmington.

The terms of sale are for cash upon delivery of deed, which is to be made immediately after said sale. This sale being made at the request of the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, beneficiary of said trust.

GEO. A. GRIMSLEY, Trustee.

This 29th day of Oct., 1914.

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EASTBOUND: Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave for for Wilmington
.....	.....	.....	a6:26 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:26 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
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6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	a8:06 A. M.	a7:50 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....	a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
8:50 A. M.	8:50 A. M.	8:50 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
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10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	11:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	1:10 P. M.	2:01 P. M.	1:50 P. M.	e1:45 P. M.
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6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	6:40 P. M.	7:41 P. M.	7:30 P. M.	7:20 P. M.
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11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	11:15 P. M.	12:21 A. M.	12:10 A. M.	12:00 M.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Nov. 23, 1914.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. * 6:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ! 9:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. ! 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 7:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Selma daily with New York trains via Atlantic Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 80. ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. !10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 8:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:45 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. ! Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays.

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STATE'S PROGRESS VERY REMARKABLE

Prof. Noble Reviews Her Educational Achievement.

ADDRESS TO TEACHERS

Record of 31 Years Set Forth in President's Annual Address—Assembly Hears Thanksgiving Sermon—Meeting.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 26.—The North Carolina Teachers' Assembly, in its second day's session here today, with about 1,400 teachers enrolled, heard tonight the annual address of its president, Prof. M. C. S. Noble, of the University of North Carolina, who reviewed some of the remarkable achievements the State has made along educational lines since the Assembly was organized 31 years ago. At that time there was an annual expenditure for schools of about $800,000, where there is now an annual expenditure of nearly four millions annually.

There are now in the State 1,600 local tax districts whereas there were only a few when the Assembly was organized. There are now 200 high schools in the State, over which the State has some oversight, and about 300,000 children enrolled in schools of all kinds. The late Governor Aycock, the late Dr. McIver, Dr. Ewin A. Alderman, now president of the University of Virginia; Prof. Alexander Graham, of Charlotte; Dr. Foust, of the Normal College, of Greensboro, were some of the leaders Prof. Noble named as having had large influence in causing such advance along educational lines, as no State in the Union had made in the same length of time.

The annual Thanksgiving service of the Assembly was held today at noon in the College Street school auditorium, which was taxed to its capacity to hear the special sermon by Rev. Dr. E. K. McLarty, pastor of Tryon Street Methodist church here, whose subject was "We Are Co-Workers With God." The speaker emphasized that the teacher more than any other member of society was a co-worker with God in that he was the main instrument in shaping the youthful mind to the Deity's purpose.

The teachers were given a reception tonight in the Selwyn Hotel by the Women's Club of Charlotte at 10 o'clock.

The State Association of City Superintendents to the number of about 80, are in session here in connection with the Teachers' Assembly, whose seven departments are holding daily sessions at various places in the city.

The alumni of Trinity College, Davidson College, and the State Normal College are each enjoying a banquet tonight.

The Assembly closes tomorrow night.

SOUTH AMERICAN NATIONS APPEAL TO UNITED STATES

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come until Pan-American trade has been given protection.

The idea that neutral zones may be established which ships of all nations may move unmolested is an extension of the original principle of international law, which fixed three miles as the territorial limit of a nation.

Conditions Have Changed.

This distance was agreed on because it was the range of guns in use when the principle was established.

Since then the range of guns has extended to more than 20 miles, and the wireless has introduced a new means of controversy over breaches of neutrality. The countries which favor the establishment of a neutral zone argue that an extension of territorial waters to 100 or even 200 miles from the coast is an inherent right of a sovereign nation.

The proposal to deny coal to warships, some South American diplomats think would hardly be adequate, as much more difficulty is being experienced in preventing merchant ships from coaling men of war at sea. The idea also of giving a warship only enough coal to reach a port of the nearest foreign country would not seriously affect the ability of the belligerents to coal their vessels. Already Colombia, which was not signatory to The Hague convention, has ordered that instead of giving a vessel enough coal to reach the nearest home port, supplies be sold to enable them to make only the port of an adjacent country. This, however, has resulted from the desire of Colombia to restrict the exportation of coal, of which she has only a limited production.

The calling of the conference through the governing board of the Pan-American Union has been widely discussed as an instrument for joint action by the nations of the two continents and if decided upon probably will be held in Washington. While government officials would not discuss tonight any of the various suggestions that had been offered saying they were all under consideration, there were intimations in some quarters that out of numerous proposals some plan for the restoration of trade between the two Americas would be evolved by the American government in co-operation with the South American countries.

WITH 1,000 HORSES FOR GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE

British Steamer Raeburn Clears From Port of Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26. — With one thousand horses for use by the British and French governments, the British steamer Raeburn cleared here today for French ports. After dropping out into the stream, however, boiler trouble was discovered, delaying her until tomorrow morning.

The Shenandoah is now being fitted up with stalls to carry about 1,000 horses to the allies, and the steamer Raphael, it was announced today, is expected to reach here tomorrow for a cargo of horses. It was stated, though not officially, that 40,000 horses are under contract to be shipped from this port, Baltimore and New Orleans within the next few weeks.

HARDLY HALF ENOUGH FOOD BEING SUPPLIED

To Feed Seven Million Belgians Crying for Bread

Three Thousand Tons of Food Needed Daily to Feed Sufferers, and United States Their Main Dependence.

New York, Nov. 26.—This Thanksgiving day found 7,000,000 starving persons in war swept Belgium crying out for bread and only half enough food on hand to appease their hunger. Three thousand tons of food are required each day to feed the sufferers, yet to date the United States, upon which the Belgians must depend in the main for sustenance, has furnished less than half tht amount.

The foregoing epitomizes a statement issued today by the American Commission for Relief of Belgians, carrying a plea for food for inhabitants of the stricken land.

A cable from H. C. Hoover, chairman of the London commission, declared the situation desperate and urged immediate assistance. Hoover said the commission was sending several ships to the Atlantic seaboard, trusting that Americans would fill them with supplies.

The Middle States are leading in contributions, the commission says.

The South even though it suffered from the war, is helping, too.

Alabama will send a ship load of provisions from Mobile about December 15. Flour will be sent in cotton sacks and when the sacks are empty they can be turned into clothing.

Virginia is preparing a cargo of food for January shipment.

RUSSIAN OFFICERS ARE WITHHOLDING DETAILS OF VICTORY CLAINED

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Arabs fit for military service have declared their readiness for a holy war.

"The German commander in Belgium, the Berlin Kreuz Zeitung reports, intentionally spared King Albert's castle on account of its historical associations and its artistic value, though it was well known that Field Marshal French and his staff were staying there. After their rerteat the English bombarded the castle and destroyed it when the German staff was quartered there."

AUSTRIANS REPORT SUCCESS.

Claim to be Gaining Ground in Southern Russian Poland.

Berlin, Nov. 26, via London—A semi-official statement given out today says:

"The Austrians report that ground had been gained in the district about Wolbrom (Southern Russian Poland), taken in conjunction with the German report from Czenstochowa and the region north of Cracow shows that they are working together on the south wing to very good purpose. Wolbrom is in a mountainous region. Successes have been gained despite great difficulties.

"In the East the weather generally is clear but frosty, the temperature averaging ten degrees below zero centigrade. At Cracow fog alternates with snow.

"In Flanders the rain continues, and the temperature is near the freezing point. A low temperature prevails in the Lorraine plateau. In the Vosges, the crest of the mountains are covered with six inches of snow."

PERSIANS MASSACRE 2,000 RUSSIAN

Report Published in German Paper Believed to Have Been Inspired.

London, Nov. 26.—Telegraphing from Amsterdam, the correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company says the Berlin Tageblatt has published a dispatch from Constantinople to the effect that 2,000 Russians have been massacred at Tabris by Persians. The British official press bureau, while assenting to the publication of the above dispatch, says it appears to be false and to have been spread under German instructions.

PETROGRAD CLAIMS SUCCESS.

In Battle of Lods Advantage Continues "With Our Troops."

Petrograd, Nov. 26.—The following official communication from General headquarters was issued today:

"In the battle of Lodz, whchi continues to develop, the advantage remains with our troops.

"The Germans are making strenuous efforts to facilitate the retreat of their troops which, having penetrated in the direction of Brzezicy, are now retiring to the region of Strykow, under conditions very unfavorable for them.

"On the Austrian front our action continues with success. In the fighting of November 25th, we took as many as 8,000 prisoners, including two regiments with their commanders and other officers.

CALM IN BELGIUM.

Cannonading But No Infantry Attacks In Center of Line.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"In Belgium today complete calm prevailed. In the center, there was cannonading but no infantry attacks.

"There is nothing of importance to report from the Argonne.

"There was a smal engagement to the east of Verdun."

PRZEMYSL UNDAMAGED

So Aviators Returning From the Austrian Fortress Declare.

Amsterdam, Holland, Nov. 26 (via London).—A Budapest dispatch says aviators returning from the Austrian fortress of Przemysl declare the Russian bombardment has not done the slightest damage to the town. The defenders of the fortress are reported to be continually repulsing the Russians.

The fortress has provisions for a year, the airmen assert, and the garrison is in excellent spirits.

WINSTON CHURCHILL REPLIES

To Allegations That British Airmen Crossed Into Neutral Territory.

London, Nov. 26.—Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, replied in the House of Commons today to allegations that French and British aviators in a recent assault on the Zeppelin factory at Friedrichshafen had crossed Swiss territory.

"Aviators flying at high altitudes," he said, "find it almost impossible to determine the course they are taking. However, the British airmen who made the recent attack upon the Zeppelin factory had explicit instructions to avoid crossing neutral territory. They carried maps indicating the course which they were tofollow."

Mr. Churchill added that no agreement had been reached at the Paris conference regarding passage of belligerent aircraft over neutral countries.

CHAMBERS AND FOUR AGENTS ARE CONVICTED

Of Misusing Mails in Everglade Land Operations

Two Weeks Allowed in Which Five Defendants, One a Minister, May Perfect Appeals—Under Bond Meanwhile.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 26.—E. C. Chambers, of Kansas City, president of the Chambers Land Company, and four of his agents were found guilty here today of misusing the mails in connection with the sale of Everglade lands in Florida. Sentence was deferred.

In addition to Chambers, the defendants were the Rev A. E. Gammage, of Kansas City; F. W. Harper, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., E. L. Russell, Miami, Fla. ,and Charles H. Hubbard, Pittsburgh, Kan.

The jury had been out since 5 o'clock last night and early today. It was reported that a disagreement was imminent.

Chambers and his agents were indicted December 9, 1913. The government charged that Chambers purchased from the State of Florida 50,000 acres of undrained land in the swamps of Dade and Palm Beach counties in July, 1910, for which he was to pay $15 an acre. Arrangements had been completed, according to the company's literature, with the State of Florida for the drainage of the lands and declarations were made that the land was suitable for all kinds of agriculture. The land was sold on the installment plan at from $50 to $65 an acre and the government charged a total of $125,000 profit was realized from the sale of 17,000 acres.

The government maintained the land was unfit for cultivation and never was drained. The operations of the Chambers company ceased in February, 1913.

The court allowed the defendants 15 days in which to perfect an appeal and said sentence would not be passed for two weeks. All the defendants furnished bond and were released pending the filing of their appeal.

FRANCE SELLING BONDS

Subscriptions in France Yesterday Amounted to $140,000,000.

Paris, Nov. 26.—Subscriptions to the short term 5 per cent. national defense bonds amounted today to 700,000,000 francs ($140,000,000) for France alone. In addition 300,000,000 francs of treasury bonds already are in circulation.

The minister of finance submitted to the cabinet a decree raising to 1,400,000,000 francs, the amount issuable of war defense bonds. It is proposed to issue bonds in denominations as low as 100 francs. Subscriptions will be taken at all tobacco shops, postoffices and savings banks.

AMMUNITION TRAIN BLOWN UP.

Loss to Germans Caused by British Airman.

London, Nov. 27.—3:11 A. M.—A Daily Chronicle dispatch from Northern France says:

"Wednesday about noon a tremendous explosion was felt for miles along the allies' lines. The source of the explosion apparently was behind the German line. Later it was learned that a British naval airman had dropped a bomb squarely on a German ammunition train, which blew up."

WITH RICHMOND BANK.

Mr. Chas. N. Evans Associated With Big Virginia Institution.

The following from yesterday's Charlotte Observer will be read with interest here:

"The many friends in Charlotte, Wilmington and other parts of the State, will be interested to learn that Mr. C. N. Evans, formerly of the Southern National Bank, has recently accepted a responsible office with the Richmond Trust and Savings Company, of Richmond, Va., a million dollar financial institution of that city, having much to do with Southern business. Mr. Evans is one of the best equipped bankers in the State and the fact that he will be associated with the Richmond institution will be highly gratifying to his many friends here."

SOUTH CAROLINA WINS OVER CITADEL AT COLUMBIA

Score 7 to 6 at End of a Hard Fought Contest.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 26.—The University of South Carolina won the annual football game with Citadel here today, 7 to 6 after a hard fought contest. Honors were about even. Both teams scored on the first half, Carolina's score coming in the first quarter as a result of line plunging. Citadel scored in the second quarter on a forward pass but Weeks' try at goal was blocked.

Berlin, Nov. 26 (via Wireless to London).—An official announcement given out in Berlin today is as follows: "In the western arena of the war the situation remains unchanged. The French opened an attack in the region of St. Hilaire with strong forces. The strength of this attack gradually dwindled, and the movement was finally repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. We have made progress at Apremont."

Copenhagen, (via London), Nov. 26.—Edward D. Winslow, American Consul General here, and Mrs. Winslow tonight entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner about 200 Americans. Speakers praised President Wilson and the State Department for assistance they have rendered Americans stranded in Europe during the war.

Paris, Nov. 27—12:15 a. m.—A Hava's dispatch from Athens says advices received there from Mitylene state that a Turkish mine layer has been torpedoed and sunk in the Bosphorus.

PROF. M. H. HOLT IS DEAD

One of the Principals of Oak Ridge Institute and One of State's Leaders.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 26.—Martin Hix Holt, one of the principals of Oak Ridge Institute, died this afternoon at his home at Oak Ridge, at the age of 59 years. Professor Holt has been ill many months with chronic heart trouble and Bright's disease. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Lambeth Holt, and daughter, Mrs. J. T. Bennett, of San Diego, Cal., and son, John Harvey Holt, of Oak Ridge.

Prof. Holt, was one of the most brilliant educators the State has produced in the last half century, and with his brother, J. Allen Holt, had built out of the institute a powerful influence in the educational life of the State. The fame of the institute has been wide cast.

At one time he was a member of the State Legislature from Guilford.

At the time of his death he was president of the board of directors of the State Institution for the Deaf at Morganton on which board he served more than a quarter of a century. He was a member of the Methodist Protestant church. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Oak Ridge chapel.

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 26.—Ethelbert Stewart chief statistician of the Federal Bureau of Labor arrived here tonight to investigate conditions in the Hartford Valley and the merits of the controversy between the operator and union miners which recently culminated in riots and the sending of United States troops to the coals fields. The investigation was suggested by President Wilson several weeks ago.

Business Locals

LOST — BLACK SILK PURSE, LINED with green, containing visiting card, Mrs. Hill Burgwin. Please return to Star office for suitable reward. no27-1t*

WANTED — SIX BOYS TO DELIVER directories. Apply Bell Telephone office, Friday, at 1 o'clock. no27-1t

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY TO KEEP set double entry books and do office work. Apply in own handwriting, stating salary expected. Address P. O. Box 245, Wilmington, N. C. no27-2t*

BIRD DOG WANTED — THE PURCHASE of a good, well trained bird dog, not over three years old, will be made if price is reasonable. Write P. O. Box 186, today. no27-1t

WANTED — A GOOD FARM TO RENT for 1915, with owner to furnish team and equipment, by young man who can get results. Life experience. Would consider managing a farm. Address "Farm," care Star. no27-1t*

FOR RENT—TWO LARGE ROOMS connecting with bath, Southern exposure. Phone 371-J, 205 South Second street. no 26-4t*

SPECIAL MILLINERY SALE ON FRIday and Saturday, from 9:00 A. M. to 10 P. M. A handsome line of Xmas ribbon. An excellent line of Winter Hats for Ladies and Children. Hats made over, trimmed over or made to order. Children's velvet hats a specialty. A pretty line of velvets, feathers and flowers. All new materials and our prices are very reasonable. Apply at residence, 517 North Fourth street. no 26-3t*

FOR RENT — HOUSE CORNER SEVenth and Chestnut, 14 rooms; admirably suited for either two or three families. Apply Morris Bear & Bro. no24,27,29-3t

WE ARE RUSHED TO DEATH—BEcause we advertise. Multigraph typewritten letters keep us busy—they'll do it for you. Harriss Typewriting and Adv. Co. no 6m,w,f-tf

FOR RENT—NO. 617 SOUTH SECOND street, $16; No. 205 Church street, $35; No. 505 Ann street, $30; apartment on Front street, $32.50; fine residence on Fifth street, $60; 221 North Seventh street, $37; also stores, warehouses and smaller residences. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate Agent; new office, 208 Princess street, new Pythian building. no 25-4t

HE LAUGHS BEST WHO LAUGHS last. You will laugh best if you will take advantage of our 25 per cent discount for cash and also have a pair of white gloves cleaned absolutely free this week only. Coster's, 122 Market, Phone 148. no 25-3t

FOR PLUMBING, METAL WORK, HOT air and steam heating. See Capps-Griffith Plumbing Co. Ladies and gentlemen come to see our show room, 109 North Second street. no 25-tf

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LOST — YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO have a pair of white kid gloves cleaned absolutely free this week, if you do not get one of our coupons and take it to our store. This week only. We are also making a discount of 25 per cent. for cash. Coster's, 122 Market street. no23-6t

FOR RENT —FIVE ROOMS IN THE Bunting Building, just vacated by the White Construction Company. Immediate possession. Sample rooms and desk room. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., Front and Grace. no22-7t

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WHILE SHOPPING DROP IN AND try our Dairy Lunch. Warren's. no 18-tf

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